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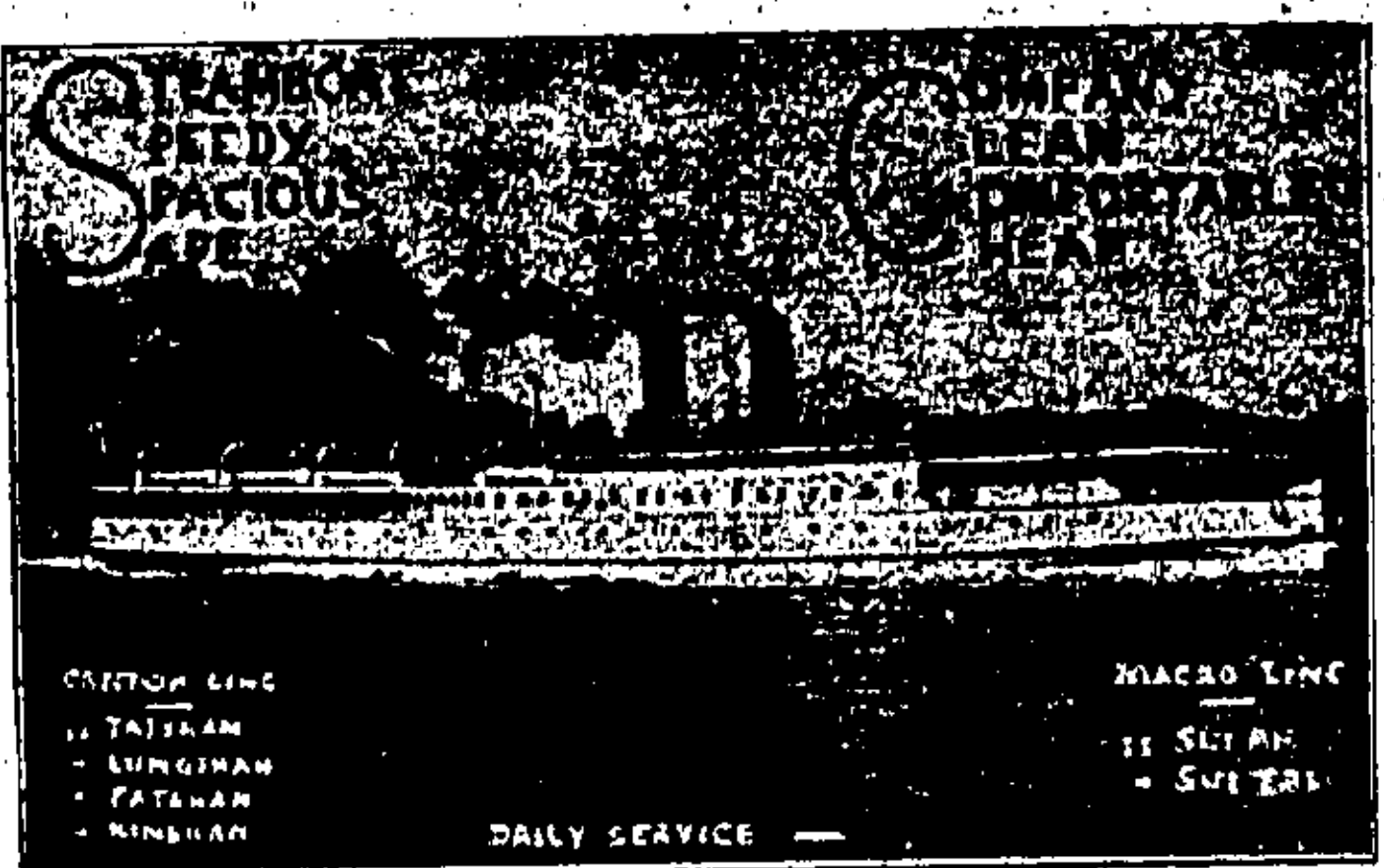
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MINISTERS' VISITS

Views Now Under Examination

London, April 5.
Detailed views on the European situation of the German, Russian, Polish, and Czechoslovak Governments, as revealed in the conversations with the British Ministers, Sir John Simon and Mr. Anthony Eden, during the series of visits which concluded last night with the return to England of Mr. Eden, the Lord Privy Seal, are now receiving careful examination by appropriate departments of the British Government.

Both Sir John Simon and Mr. Eden will attend a Cabinet meeting on Monday, at which it is anticipated their reports will be presented and considered.

A Government statement on the results of the visits will be made in the House of Commons on Tuesday by Sir John Simon, and it is awaited with exceptional interest in view of the fact that Sir John and Mr. Eden will leave on the following day for the Anglo-French-Italian conference at Stresa. This conference was fixed for next Thursday at the tripartite meeting in Paris, which was held before the British Ministers set off on their mission, and which formally emphasised the complete unity of purpose of the French, Italian, and British Governments.

From Stresa the Ministers will proceed to Geneva where a special League Council meeting to consider Germany's rearmament decision will take place a week on Monday.

THE FRENCH APPEAL

Paris, April 5.
A memorandum setting forth France's reason for appealing to the League Council against Germany's latest infringement of the Versailles Treaty, and a draft resolution for submission to the Council of the League, will be submitted at the Stresa conference by M. Laval, the French Foreign Secretary, and it is hoped here that the resolution will be presented to the League jointly by Britain, France, and Italy.

It is understood that the Italian Government recently requested preliminary information with regard to the Anglo-French views expressed at a meeting of the League Council for the organisation of collective security and the maintenance of Austrian independence. It is believed that in the eventuality of re-armament, the small powers will also be alluded to.

Paris, like Rome, attaches the greatest importance to the safeguarding of the independence of Austria, but considers the consent of the Little Entente essential to a revision of the military clauses in the treaties with Bulgaria, Austria and Hungary.

It is understood that the French Government will propose a formula of European scope on such a basis, as it is hoped to obtain an agreement with these three powers as well as with Russia.

WELCOME HOME

London, April 5.
Mr. Anthony Eden, the Lord Privy Seal, was welcomed on his arrival in London by his wife and Sir John Simon amongst others. Mr. Eden stated that if the difficulties of the European situation were to be overcome every nation had its part to play. Ours should surely be to pursue a foreign policy which should be frank, firm, and stalwart in support of the League of Nations and a collective peace system.

Mr. Eden, who suffered considerably from a bad air passage between Prague and Cologne, decided not to continue his journey by air, as bad weather conditions still continued. He eventually reached London last night travelling via Ostend and Dover.

INVOLVED IN FRAUDS

Archduke William

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press").
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Paris, Apr. 6.
The Hapsburg "Pretender to the Ukrainian Throne," Archduke William, who is living in Paris, has been indicated for complicity in frauds committed by his mistress at the expense of the Rothschild Bank here. The Archduke who is forty years of age and the son of Archduke Charles Stephen is "Colonel of the Ukrainian Sharpshooters."

His mistress, who was formerly employed in the Rothschild Bank and now in prison awaiting trial, stated to the examining magistrate that she perpetrated the frauds out of love for the Archduke and in order to help him to ascend the problematic Ukrainian throne.

NEW INDIAN C.-INC.

London, April 5.
His Majesty the King has approved the appointment of General Sir Robert Cassels to be Commander-in-Chief in India in succession to Field Marshal Sir Philip Chetwode, on the completion of the latter's tenure of office on November 13.

The King has also approved that General Cassels be appointed a member of the Executive Council of the Governor-General of India on taking up his appointment.

GENERAL MASSINGBERD

London, April 5.
General Sir Archibald Montgomery Massingberd, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, returned on Thursday from his tour of inspection in Egypt, Palestine and the Sudan.

Travelling to a large extent by air, he was able, during March, to inspect all the British units stationed in these countries and to witness their training.

He also had an opportunity of seeing their barracks and the conditions under which they live.

This is the second year that the Chief of the Imperial General Staff has been able personally to inspect the troops stationed outside the United Kingdom.

FRENCH WAR DECISION

Paris, April 5.
Political circles report that the supreme war committee yesterday voted in favour of retaining with the colours for at least three months longer the half-year contingent of conscripts who were due to be disbanded on April 13.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, April 5.
The total amount applied for in tenders for £40,000,000 Treasury bills was £76,085,000. The maximum amount was allotted in bills at three months. The average rate per cent. was 10/293d., as compared with 10/42d. last week.

"DIFFICULTIES NOT INSUPERABLE"

London, April 5.
Mr. Anthony Eden, who arrived at Victoria Station at 8.41 p.m. yesterday, said that his travels had been strenuous, but had been really useful. He added that the difficulties of the European situation were undoubtedly formidable, but not insuperable.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

Monday, April 8
Auctions.—Crown Land Sale, P.W.D. Offices, 3 p.m.
Cinemas.

King's:—"The First World War." Queen's:—"The Night Is Young." Central:—"Flirtation Walk." Oriental:—"That's A Good Girl." World:—"Police Car No. 17." Alhambra:—"Evergreen." Majestic:—"The World Moves On." Star:—"20 Million Sweethearts." Moon:—"II Moon, 6th Day." Social:—"Tea Party at Gloucester Restaurant, School of Accountancy, 5 p.m.; Presentations to Dean Swann and Mrs. Mason at Cathedral Hall, 3.30 p.m."

Sports
Yachting.—Royal H.K. Yacht Club Spoon Race for Ladies. Sunrise.—6.11 a.m.; Sunset.—6.41 p.m.

Tides.—High at 1.25 and 11.41; Low at 5.10 and 19.32.

Tuesday, April 9

Cinemas
King's:—"Lottery Lover." Queen's:—"The Night Is Young." Central:—"Flirtation Walk." Oriental:—"Stingaree." World:—"Police Car No. 17." Alhambra:—"Evergreen." Majestic:—"The World Moves On." Star:—"20 Million Sweethearts."

Lectures.—Mr. T. A. Martin, A.S.A.A. University Union Assembly Hall, 8.30 p.m. "Profits and Dividends"

Meetings.—Annual, Hong Kong Ministering League and M.C.L. Helena May, 10.30 a.m.

Miscellaneous.—Spring Festival, Quarry Bay School, 11 a.m.; Rotary Tiffin, Hong Kong Hotel.

Moon.—III Moon, 7th Day.

Social.—Police M.C.L. Ladies' Whist Drive, Police Recreation Club, Happy Valley, 3.30 p.m.; Kowloon Dock Whist Drive, K.D.R.C. Reading Room, 9 p.m.

Sports
Golf.—Royal Hong Kong Golf Club Ladies' Section L.G.U. Monthly Medal Competition.

Hockey.—Y.M.C.A. v. St. Andrews (Y.M.C.A. ground), 5.15 p.m.

Snooker.—Steel Couston League, Dockyard Police v. Royal Engineers; Chief and Petty Officers v. Central Police; St. Patrick's Club v. Garrison Sergeants; Water Police v. Prison Warders, 7 p.m.

Sunrise.—6.10 a.m. Sunset.—6.41 p.m.

Tides.—High at 2.41 and 12.15; Low at 5.27 and 20.33.

"WELSH WIZARD'S" PLANS

London, April 5.
Mr. Lloyd George, whose industrial recovery proposals were recently, at the request of the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, submitted to the Government, has been invited to attend a meeting on Thursday of the Cabinet Committee to the Government, which has been examining his plans.

THE EGYPTIAN MISSION

Economic Enquiry

London, April 6.
The Rt. Hon. Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, accompanied by officials of the Board of Trade, the Foreign Office, the Department of Overseas Trade, and the Mines Department, yesterday received the Egyptian mission of Economic enquiry, which is visiting this country. A general discussion took place and arrangements were made for further meetings.

CAMPBELL HOME AGAIN

London, April 5.
Sir Malcolm Campbell, the famous British racing motorist, yesterday received a civic welcome on his arrival in the R.M.S. Berengaria at Southampton from Daytona Beach, where he set up a new land-speed world's record of 276.816 miles per hour.

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TWELFTH SUCCESS FOR LIGHT BLUES In The Annual Boat Race

London, Apr. 6. Cambridge recorded their 12th successive victory over Oxford in the annual boat race today by four and a half lengths in 19 minutes 48 seconds, which is 1 minute 45 seconds slower than last year's record time.

Cambridge won the toss and chose the Surrey side, which is supposed to be one of the biggest factors in the race, the Surrey station being sheltered as far as Hammersmith Bridge, after which the water is rough on both stations.

The race started at 2.47 p.m., Oxford taking a slight lead with both strokes timing 30 to the minute, but after another minute's rowing Cambridge pulled up splendidly to forge a length ahead of Oxford, who spurred and reduced the margin to half a length at Beverley Brook, but Cambridge were one and a quarter lengths in the lead at the Fulham Football ground.

Cambridge led by a length at Craven Steps and increased it by half a length at Walden. Both boats were now stroking 34 to the minute, but the Cambridge boat was travelling the faster and led by two lengths at the mile post.

Loss Recovered

The Oxford boat reduced the lead to one and three-quarter lengths at Crabtree, and then Cambridge made another spurt, their stroke setting 32 and 30 to the minute, and they led by 2 1/2 lengths at Hammersmith Bridge.

Though both strokes were striking 32 to the minute, the Oxford crew were pulling much stronger, and had reduced the Cambridge lead to two lengths at the Mills. The crews entered choppy water at the Doves with Cambridge maintaining a two-length lead. Both crews were rowing strongly and Cambridge were two lengths ahead at the two-mile mark.

At Chiswick Eyot Cambridge were leading by 3 1/2 lengths and at Chiswick Steps by 3 1/2. Cambridge were now rowing 33 strokes to the minute to Oxford's 31. They were leading by 3 1/2 lengths at the Meadows, four lengths at the Devonshire Meadows.

Sir Lengh's Ahead

Cambridge, rowing beautifully, were six lengths ahead at Bull's Head and, stroking 30 to Oxford's 28 maintained that distance to Barnes Bridge and White Hart.

Oxford made a valiant effort at the four miles where they halved the lead to three lengths, but Cambridge held them off easily and won by 4 1/2 lengths.

LOCAL FUNCTION

Governor Presides

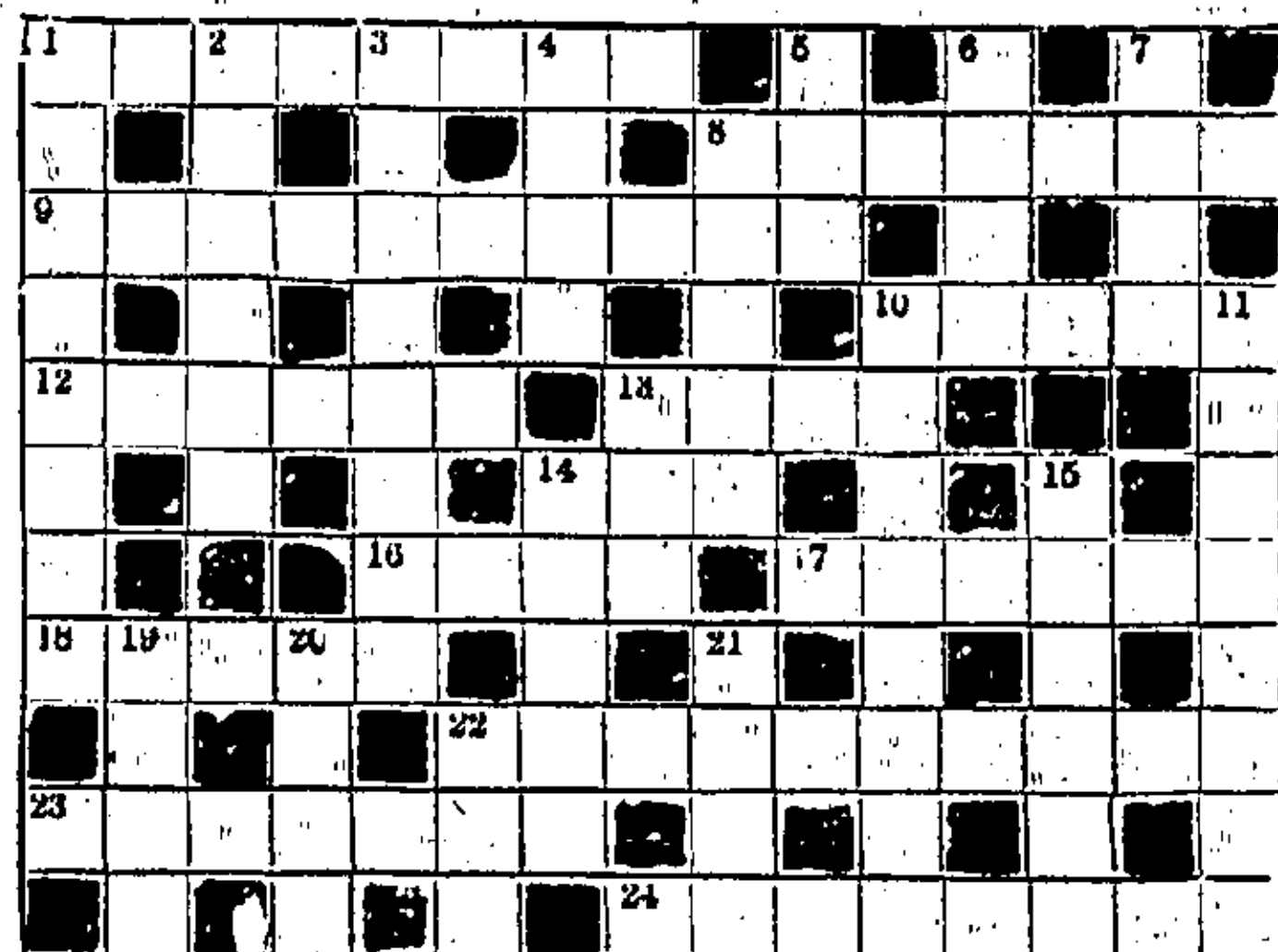
Presided over by H.E. The Governor, Sir William Peel the annual Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race Dinner was held at the Gloucester Building on Saturday night, which was very largely attended.

No speeches were delivered but the toast of His Majesty the King was proposed by His Excellency. Special facilities for listening in to the boat-race relay were made and a radio extension was laid from the Broadcasting Office to the Dining Room.

Seated at the main table were Sir William Peel; on his right was the Colonial Secretary, Sir Thomas Southorn, Mr. Justice R. Lindell, the Vice-Chancellor of the Hong Kong University, Sir William Hornell, and Dr. M. O. Pflaster, while on his left were seated the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, Mr. J. K. Bousfield, and Mr. D. W. Trautman.

The following were also present: Mr. Duncan McNeill, Mr. A. Joseph, the Rev. G. E. S. Updeell, Mr. L. E. N. Ryan, the Rev. N. W. Howard, Mr. J. Barrow, Mr. R. I. Cherrill, Mr. G. F. She, Mr. W. Schofield, Mr. Q. A. A. MacFadyen, Mr. Walton, Mr. C. C. Robert, Mr. H. S. Lo, Mr. G. S. P. Heywood, Mr. R. C. Lee, Mr. Leo D'Almada e Castro Jnr, the Rev. L. L. Nash, Mr. G. R. Sayer, Professor L. T. Ride, Dr. Y. S. Wan, the Rev. H. W. Baines, Mr. G. Herklotz, Mr. G. Yorke, Mr. L. B. Holmes, Mr. D. W. Morley, Mr. H. W. Lee, Mr. L. H. Yates, Mr. D. F. Davies, Mr. B. I. Flanagan, Mr. H. S. Mok, Mr. H. G. Wallington, Mr. J. G. Pilcher, Mr. C. Drage and Major E. L. Withington.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Note: Figures in parentheses indicate number of letters in the words required.

- Across
- 1—It's certain if an M.P. can't be this in the House, he should be dumb to it (7).
 - 2—This might have been done by now, if solved previously (7).
 - 3—Being without means, one may find in this crypt a bunk (10).
 - 4—For an author, it's a beginning (5).
 - 5—Taking various foods, one should keep some room for meat, but not (6).
 - 6—The open waste the room might turn it into (4).
 - 7—Have a shot at this, but only one barrel, mind you (3).
 - 8—Evidently is not up (4).
 - 9—May be the master stopping in bed (6).
 - 10—So long! (5).
 - 11—For public shows, some sell these to give a clearer view, and may be prepared to "accept less" (anagram) (10).
 - 12—A whimsical idea, isn't it? (7).
 - 13—A natural impulse (8).

- Down
- 1—One may have a weakness for this (8).
 - 2—Showy decorations (6).
 - 3—His change of manner so easily identifies this foreman (8).
 - 4—To drink like a fish (4).
 - 5—This mouth, being open to

- view, enables one to see the sound! (3).
- 6—An animal of hefty weight, we have the sense to tolerate (4).
 - 7—You can solve this by doing nothing! (4).
 - 8—A padded jacket doesn't discourage a stage beginner (5).
 - 9—Spin out (8).
 - 10—What a little monkey it is to be sure! (8).
 - 11—This lark is never seen in a cage (3).
 - 12—An attractive bait must be offered to this fish (5).
 - 13—A small hawk (6).
 - 14—To find a poet calling this black would be no change (4).
 - 15—Drifting vapoury clouds (4).
 - 16—An image, or it may be a coin (4).
 - 17—We may bracket this last clue with a word that is given exactly as quoted (3).

The following is the solution of Saturday's puzzle:

- Across—1, Detrimental; 2, Cordial; 10, Twice; 11, Little; 12, Desine; 13, Mo-unt; 15, Hangar; 16, Tobacco; 20, B-r-aw-n; 22, O-rate; 23, Retreat; 24, Terrestrial.
- Down—1, Enrol; 3, B-shm-ent; 4, Ma-lady; 5, Notes; 6, A-rising; 7, Acclamation; 8, Peregrinate; 14, Umbrage; 16, Arbitr; 17, Morris; 19, Clear; 21, Arena.

HOME FOOTBALL

Arsenal Share Points With Chelsea

Due to the fact that the International match between Scotland and England (at Hampden Park) attracted a large number of football enthusiasts, a certain amount of the interest that is usually taken in League football was lacking during the week-end when a somewhat curtailed programme was carried out.

Chelsea did well to share the points with the Arsenal while in the second division Bolton lost to Plymouth. The detailed scores, as cable by Reuter, together with the league tables, brought up to date, are given below:

FIRST DIVISION										
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts			
Arsenal	35	19	11	6	99	41	49			
Birmingham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Blackburn	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Leeds	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Liverpool	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Manchester C.	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Middlesbrough	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Portsmouth	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Wednesday	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Stoke	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
W. Brom	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Sunderland	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			

SECOND DIVISION										
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts			
Blackpool	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Bradford	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Brentford	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Bury	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Fulham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Hull	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Newcastle	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Norwich	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Reading	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Sheff. U.	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Southampton	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Swansea	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Tottenham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
W. Ham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
West Ham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)										
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts			
Barnsley	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Bristol C.	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Cardiff City	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Exeter	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Gillingham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Millwall	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Newport	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Northampton	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Reading	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Watford	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)										
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts			
Barrow	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Carlisle	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Chesham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Clitheroe	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Halifax	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Lincoln	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Mansfield	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Rotherham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Rochdale	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Tranmere	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Walsall	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Wrexham	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			
Stockport	34	17	11	6	72	38	46			

INTERNATIONAL SOCCER

Scotland Wins On Home Soil

Glasgow, April 6. A crowd of 130,000 attended Hampden Park today to witness the final match of the international soccer tournament, which ended in a victory for Scotland over England by two goals to nil, which meant the sharing of championship honours with four points each.

Members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, and policemen were busily attending to fainting cases. The crowd gave a wonderful reception to His Royal Highness the Duke of York on his arrival, as he is the first member of the Royal family to attend a soccer match in Scotland.

Hapgood won the toss for England, but Scotland were early prominent, Hibbs, the English custodian, clearing from Duncan, the Scottish left-winger. Thereafter, England attacked and both Westwood, at inside-left, and Brook, the left-winger, tested Jackson.

McPhail, Scotland's inside-left, missed by inches, and Gallacher was proving a very lively hand for Barker, the English pivot. The Napier and Walker partnership on the Scottish right wing provided the outstanding feature of the game.

Walker, Scotland's leader, missed scoring by inches with a great drive from 30 yards Scotland continued to press and during a thrilling melee in the England

HOME RUGGER

Saturday Match Results

London, April 6. The following were the results of rugby football matches played today:

Aberavon	19	Devonport S.	4
Bath	0	London Scot.	15
Birkenhead P.	6	Leicester	24
Bristol	7	Harlequins	6
Gloucester	10	Llanelli	3
Headingley	6	Waterloo	5
Neath	23	Old Paulines	3
Newport	14	Blackheath	8
Northampton	6	Rosslyn Park	16
Old Merchant T.	9	London Welsh	8
Plymouth A.	23	Torquay Ath.	4
Richmond	17	Cardiff	6
Waspas	0	St. Mary's H.	13
Nottingham	5	Moseley	10
Swansea	18	Bridgend	5
Trojans	3	Portsmouth S.	9
Cheltenham	9	Abertillery	3

goalmouth McPhail, Gallacher, and Napier all missed scoring chances. Eventually Duncan netted just before the interval from Napier's corner kick.

The second half opened in whirlwind manner, Walker swerving and dribbling through the entire defence before passing inside, but Hibb threw himself at Gallacher's feet to prevent a score.

Scotland was attacking furiously and forced two successive corners from the last of which Duncan headed in from Napier's kick.

BISHOP HALL'S SERMON

Self-Sacrifice And Self-Realization

At St. John's Cathedral yesterday, Bishop Hall preached the following sermon:

Last week I gave you two pictures of Christ in the Garden of Gethsemane and Buddha seated in meditation. They are both, in a way, pictures of self-realization. Buddha finds the peace he desires in meditative exercise, Jesus of Nazareth finds the fulfilment of His own being through tremendous obedience to His Father's will.

To-night I want to give you three more illustrations of self-realization. The first is the Sickle and the Hammer, the symbol of Communism, the second the Lotus, the symbol of Buddhism, the third the Cross, the symbol of our own Christian faith.

When I think of the Sickle and Hammer I have a very vivid picture in my mind of the great bust of Lenin which looks down on the passengers who arrive from Poland at the Russian frontier. In this bust there is magnificent humanity, dogged, determined, courageous. This is man realizing his creative power in the stern leadership of his fellow men. The Sickle and Hammer are the symbol of this energy. The Sickle is the symbol of the countryman's triumph over nature compelling her to supply him with food, the Hammer is the symbol of the townsmen, the engineer, the craftsman, compelling steel and stone to serve the eager purposes of human life.

And yet there is about Lenin a wistful loneliness. A man may be master of his fellow men, he may dominate inorganic matter, he may even paint great pictures, and write great poetry and yet he may remain essentially lonely. No man who is lonely, no man whose personality is not fulfilled by the intercourse and freedom of human friendship has achieved self-realization. It is not in domination, not in success, but in the joy of human intercourse that the final powers of men flower most beautifully.

THE LOTUS

The Lotus is another super symbol of self-realization. The root is hidden in the slime. The long leaves push up through the stagnant water and as they open upon the surface draw in from the sun and air that newness of life which enables the hidden root to go on living. Then slim and beautiful the flower bud pushes its way into the light until it has reached maturity and opens in spotless purity and perfect chalice-like form to receive the warmth and strength of summer sun shine.

In this perfection all the strange workings of nature find fulfilment in beauty, proportion and interdependence. But there is something cold about the whiteness of the Lotus something unapproachable, self-centred, self-satisfied. If human progress were merely Lotus progress there would be no passion, no joy in this self-realization. The Lotus is the true symbol of the Buddhist ideal, for the Buddhist would escape desire and achieve self-realization by the negation of all feeling.

Hammer and Sickle are symbols of one form of self-realization, the Lotus of another. Notice they are both impersonal. The Hammer and Sickle are the most primitive machines, but they represent the newest developments of reaping and binding machines and all the elaborate machinery of construction with which we are familiar in this city. The Lotus is also impersonal, it has no feeling, no fears only an unconscious growth to perfection.

IF JESUS HAD SHIRKED THE CROSS

The Cross at first sight seems still more impersonal. In the hands of men the Sickle and Hammer become quick with energy and life. The Lotus grows with all the tireless energy of nature. But the Cross is dead wood. Exposed to

HAMILTON WIN

London, April 5. In the only Scottish League game played today, Hamilton, the Cup finalists, beat the Hearts at home by two clear goals to advance to above Aberdeen in the League table.

CHIN SHU JEN

Gaol Sentence Passed

Nanking, April 5. Chin Shu-jen, ex-Governor of Sinkiang, has been sentenced by the Nanking District Court to three and a half years' imprisonment on a charge of instigating a foreign menace to the State on the ground that he concluded a provisional Sinkiang-Soviet agreement without the Government's approval.

He was acquitted on charges of embezzlement of public funds, murder, arson and robbery.

It is understood that the prisoner is appealing to the Supreme Court.

Reuter.

The daily round the common task.

Will furnish all we need to ask Room to deny ourselves a road. That leads us daily nearer God. Self-denial has come to mean to us a kind of unpleasant restriction upon self-realization, upon the things we want to do. Many of us practise it because we think it is what Our Lord asks of us. Self-denial is to self-sacrifice what vaccination is to small pox, what inoculation is to typhoid. The religion of Jesus is a disease, an infectious disease. The devil laughs when he hears us fastening upon ourselves the idea of self-denial. He knows we are inoculating ourselves against the grand infection of self-sacrificing love. Inoculation means literally making harmless.

We make Christianity harmless when we talk and sing of self-denial. Jesus said He came to cast fire upon the earth. "Self-denial" is a fire extinguisher.

What Jesus said was "we must deny ourselves, i.e. make ourselves literally naught and our own wishes utterly obedient to God if we are to follow Him, the bridegroom, and be the children of the bride chamber."

OUT OF LONELINESS

The way of the Cross is not easy but it is eternally worth while. It is the only way out of loneliness into life. It is the only way by which resentment may be routed and forgiveness spring up like a well of living water from our hearts.

I am sure that every one of you here, has some friendship, some human relationship which is not happy. It may be a partner in business, it may be a man in your mess, it may be a brother, a wife or a husband. If I have reminded you of some bitterness there are you not saying even now, "Yes, it is only so and so would be less obstinate, less extravagant, less self-willed how delightful our friendship would be." It is just there that Christianity comes in as essentially practical, but tremendously stern. Jesus set His face to go to Jerusalem. He would have been glad to have the obstinacy of the Cross removed from His path, but Jesus found in Gethsemane that that is not God's way. So He found self-realization in self-sacrifice. The Cross stands as, supreme symbol of human obstinacy, the symbol of all obstinate difficulties that spoil your relationships with those about you. Jesus submitted to that obstinacy. He was nailed to it, it was the death of all His own desires. But in so doing He triumphed over it. I do not ask you to go His way because by so doing you will be more religious, more Christian. What I say to you is simply this: Here is God showing you the way, here is God offering you perfect freedom in your relations with those you love, with those whom you have to do. Here is God offering you escape from loneliness; offering instead the deepest joys of human love and friendship. Here is God saying to you, as He said to Jesus in the Garden, that there is no escape from the Cross, that the way of life is the way of death, that you and I too can only find our fullest self-realization, our fullest happiness by dying to our own desires, our own wishes, our own share in the life we live with our friends and dear ones.

Here is God offering each one of us escape from the prison house of loneliness and bitterness. I know from experience that only by obedience to the way of the Cross can one find the fullest joy and happiness in friendship and in married life.

"SELF DENIAL"

The religion of Christ as they have met it, listened to it, tried to understand it has not, perhaps, been much help to them, and the reason is, I believe, that asking for bread, they have been given stones. For the bread of self-

MANCHUKUO EMPEROR'S TOUR OF JAPAN



EMPEROR KANG TE

GREAT WELCOME AT YOKOHAMA

Monarchs Meet At Tokyo Station

Yokohama, April 6.

The first foreign ruler ever to visit Japan arrived here this morning in the 35,000-ton battleship Hiyel, when Kang-te, Emperor of Manchukuo, set foot in Yokohama amid the boom of salutes, the cheers of tens of thousands of spectators and the waving of innumerable small Japanese and Manchoukuo flags.

All the ships in harbour were gaily decked with bunting, sirens were shrilling and guns booming out a 21-gun salute as the Hiyel, with the five-coloured naval ensign of Manchoukuo flying at the peak, moved slowly and majestically up Tokyo Bay towards the landing jetty, escorted by the 12th Destroyer Flotilla (the Murakumo, Usugomo and Shirakumo) and a squadron of seaplanes from the Yokosuka Naval Base. She dropped anchor shortly after 9 a.m.

The Bund and harbour presented a gay scene in the brilliant spring sunshine, with Venetian masts strung with bunting and godowns and palatial office buildings gaily decorated with flags in honour of the Imperial visitor.

At 9.45 this morning H.I.H. Prince Chichibu, the brother of the Emperor of Japan, accompanied by a Reception Committee of fourteen of Japan's highest officials, proceeded on board to welcome the Emperor Kang-te.

THREE YEARS AGO

His Majesty had left Dairen four days before, accompanied by a suite of seventy-four leading Manchoukuo officials, on the first journey he had made outside his realm since he was enthroned in March last year.

As they surveyed the scene of splendour before them, the thoughts of many of those present turned back three years ago to the time when plain Mr. Henry Pu-yi, once ruler of the Chinese Empire, slipped away as a fugitive from Tientsin to embark on a Japanese destroyer for Manchuria, there to assume later the post of ruler of the newly-founded Empire of Manchoukuo.

After Prince Chichibu had presented Baron Gonsuke Hayashi, former Ambassador to Great Britain, and the other members of the Reception Committee, the Emperor Kang-te and his suite, accompanied by Prince Chichibu and his staff, disembarked at 10.20 a.m.

The Emperor Kang-te, who was wearing the uniform of Generalissimo of the Manchoukuo Army, was welcomed at the leading stage by the Governor of Kanagawa Prefecture, the Mayor of Yokohama, Admiral Nobunasa Suetsugu, Commander-in-Chief of the Yokosuka Naval Base, and other notables.

After inspecting the guard of honour, which consisted of a battalion of the Imperial Guards and a naval detachment, the Emperor of Manchoukuo, accompanied by Prince Chichibu and his brilliant suites, boarded a special train which, decked with the Rising Sun and five-barred Manchoukuo flags, was waiting on the jetty to convey the large party over the short distance of twenty miles to Tokyo Central Station.

"BANZAIS"

As the train drew away "Banzais" echoed and reechoed from the thousands of patriotic flag-waving spectators who had been watching the proceedings with great interest at a safe distance, under the vigilant eyes of thousands of police, on the qui vive to prevent any disorder.

The short run to Tokyo Central Station was made, without incident, in less than half-an-hour.

On the main platform there, surrounded by a brilliant staff, the Emperor of Japan, wearing the uniform of Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Army, was waiting to welcome his Imperial visitor.

Among those present were Prince Takamatsu, younger brother of the Emperor Hirohito; Field-Marshal Prince Kanin, Chief of the Imperial General Staff; several other

Princes of the Blood; the Premier Admiral Okada, and the other Cabinet Ministers, Baron Ikki, President of the Privy Council; Count Makino, Lord Keeper of the Privy Seal; Viscount Matsudaira, Grand Master of Ceremonies; the Governor of Tokyo Prefecture; the Mayor of Tokyo and a galaxy of high military and naval officials.

Following formal introductions and a number of presentations, the Emperor of Japan returned through the densely crowded streets amid roars of "Banzai" to the Imperial Palace, while the Emperor Kang-te, accompanied by Prince Chichibu and escorted by a squadron of Imperial lancers, proceeded in a motor-car to the Akasaka Detached Palace, where he will reside for the next nine days, just outside the Central Station the Imperial cortege passed under a huge triumphal arch, 55 feet high and sixty feet in width, erected by the Municipality of Tokyo in honour of the distinguished visitor.

BEAUTIFUL EMPIRE

Through the Minister of the Imperial Household, Mr. Chen Jui-lin, the visiting Emperor issued a very cordial message to the Japanese nation expressing his extreme pleasure in being able to visit the "beautiful and prosperous empire of his friend and ally, the Emperor of Japan."

The Emperor Kang-te, better known abroad as Henry Pu-yi, was born in 1906. He succeeded his uncle, the ill-fated Kuang Hsu, as Emperor of China in November, 1908, but abdicated in February, 1912.

In 1917 the Tartar General Chang Hsun captured Peking and restored Pu Yi, but he only reigned for a fortnight. In 1924 Pu Yi escaped from virtual imprisonment in the Winter Palace, Peking, and succeeded in reaching Tientsin, where he resided in the Japanese Concession until the end of 1931. He left Tientsin secretly early in 1932 and, after some weeks, appeared in Dairen. In March, 1932, under Japanese protection, he proceeded to Hsinking (Changchun) and assumed office as Chief Executive of the Manchoukuo Government. Two years later he was enthroned as Kang-te, Emperor of Manchoukuo.

THE PROGRAMME

The official programme for Emperor Kang-te's stay in Japan, as issued by the Imperial Household Department, is as follows:—

April 7th. The Emperor will call on the Empress Dowager at the Omiya Palace, and will visit the Meiji Shrine, the Yasukuni Military Shrine and the Seitoku Memorial Art Gallery. In the evening he will give a dinner for members of the Japanese Imperial Family.

April 8th. He will receive Japanese notables in audience at the Akasaka Detached Palace, and in the evening will attend a dinner to be given by the Japanese Cabinet. A reception will be held at the Manchoukuo Legation.

April 9th. He will proceed to the Yoyogi Parade Ground, in company with Prince Chichibu, and will inspect troops at a review to be held in honour jointly with the Japanese Emperor. Emperor Kang-te will give a dinner in the evening for the members of the Cabinet.

April 10th. Undecided.

April 11th. Emperor Kang-te will visit the Imperial Mausoleum at Asakawa.

April 12th. No special programme.

April 13th. The Imperial guest will visit the Confucius Temple in Ohyanomizu and later the Military Hospital.

April 14th. He will attend a farewell dinner at the Imperial Palace and later will be visited at the Akasaka Palace by the Japanese Emperor. Emperor Kang-te will give a dinner in the evening for the Japanese reception committee.



EMPEROR HIROHITO

April 15th. Emperor Kang-te will leave for Kyoto, where he will stay at the Miyako Hotel. He will be seen off at the Tokyo Station by Prince Chichibu.

April 16th. Emperor Kang-te will visit the Imperial Mausoleum in Momoyama.

April 17th. No special programme.

April 18th. Emperor Kang-te will visit the Nijo Detached Palace and the Kinkaku Temple.

April 19th. He will leave Kyoto for Nara, where he will stay at the Nara Hotel.

April 21st. Visit to Osaka and Kobe.

April 22nd. Emperor Kang-te will visit Miyajima, departing from Kobe by steamer in the morning.—*Reuter.*

BANK NOTES IN CIRCULATION

The returns for the average amount of bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hong Kong during the month ended March 31, 1935, and as certified by the Managers of the respective banks, gives the Chartered Bank at \$20,650,831 with \$8,300,000 specie in reserve; the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank at \$134,422,530 with \$132,750,000 specie in reserve, and the Mercantile Bank at \$1,771,781 with \$1,350,000 specie in reserve.

In addition the three banks, respectively, have £777,500, £3,284,000 and £190,000 in securities deposited with the Crown Agents.

THE CHING MING FESTIVAL

The Ching Ming Festival was observed on Saturday, when the Chinese people returned to their homes in the country to visit the graves of their ancestors.

Thousands of people visited the different cemeteries in the Colony, particularly at Aberdeen and Bookunpoo (Tai Hang).

Many went to Canton, travelling by the river boats and others proceeded to Canton by the Kowloon-Canton Railway.

Owing to the crush of passengers, the Kowloon-Canton Railway ran special trains to Canton besides the usual expresses. On Friday last the trains carried nearly 6,000 passengers to Canton in connection with this festival, which, it is reported is a record.

SINGAPORE AND THE JUBILEE

Chinese To Participate

One of the most cosmopolitan celebrations of the King's Jubilee will be in Singapore, where representatives of many races will participate. Indians and Chinese, who form a large proportion of the "native" population, will join with the Malays in a joint celebration arranged by the Municipality.

The old obvious idea of hanging strings of bunting from one pole to another is as far as possible being ignored in the decoration of the city. Streets will be illuminated and buildings floodlit.

The Chinese quarters will be gay with Chinese lanterns. It is particularly noticeable how keen are the Straits-born Chinese to take part in the jubilee celebration. There are nearly a quarter of a million Straits-born Chinese in British Malaya.

VOLUNTEERS AT DINNER

Engineer Section Entertain

The Engineer Section of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps held their Annual Dinner on Saturday night when besides members of the Company other Naval officials attended.

After dinner the party toasted the health of His Majesty the King and of the official guests.

Major M. A. Johnson remarked in the course of his speech that "this section is the most efficient one in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps."

Lieutenant-Colonel Dowling, O.B.E., presented the prizes, congratulating each individual winner.

The official guests were Capt. Wilkinson, Sir Herbert L. Dowbiggin, C.M.G., Major Dixon, M.C. R.E., Mr. Munton, Lieut. H. Westlake, D.C.M., Lieut. Col. Fordham, M.C. R.E., Staff Sgt. Whittington, R.E., and representatives from the Royal Welch Fusiliers, and the Royal Navy.

Prize Winners

The prize-winners of the annual Company shoot were:

Without Handicap: 1 L/c. Troughton, 2 L/c. Johnson, 3 C.M. S. Everest.

With Handicap: 1 Cpl. Lockhart, 2 Spr. Paul, 3 Cpl. Smith.

Titles: 1 Spr. Paul, 2 Spr. Casey, 3 Spr. Dennis.

Recruits Without Handicap: 1 Spr. Everest, 2 Spr. Dennis, 3 Spr. Treakin.

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FRENCH ARMY

Troop Movement Rumours

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Paris, April 5.

The rumours that arose as the result of the mention of troop movements by M. Flaudin in his last speech to the Chamber, were set at rest on Friday by an official communiqué issued by the War Ministry. The measures taken primarily concern the garrisons of eastern fortifications which have been reinforced to a certain extent, one battalion of the 8th Moroccan sharpshooters having been transferred from Auch to Vosges mountains while two battalions of the 80th Infantry regiment have been moved from Narbonne to Metz.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

TERM OF RECRUITS

Paris, Apr. 5.

The Supreme War Council met on Friday afternoon to discuss the retention under colours for a further period of several months of those recruits who finish one-year's military training in April 13.

M. Flaudin and M. Laval and War Minister Maurin were present. That the recruits will be kept under colours was definitely decided but no final decision was reached as to whether the service will be prolonged till the end of July or the end of December though the probability seems to favour the former proposal. As soon as the Supreme War Council makes up its mind the cabinet will confirm.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

AGREEMENT DENIED

Brussels, Apr. 6.

"There is no existence of a Belgian-Franco agreement to permit free transit for French troops through Belgium in the event of a Franco-German war," declared the Belgian Foreign Minister on Saturday. "Since the Franco-Belgian treaty of 1921, nothing of this kind has ever taken place."—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

"CHAPTER OF HEROES"

Member Resigns As A Protest

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Budapest, Apr. 6.

The leader of the National Radical Party, Alexander Zsilling, who as a reward for his heroism in the Great War has been a member of "the chapter of heroes," resigned his membership as a protest against the methods adopted by the Government during the recent elections. None of the seven candidates put up by the Zsilling's group were returned.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

NEW GERMAN LINER LEAVES DOCK

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Stettin, Apr. 6.

The new liner "Tannenberg" for regular service between Stettin and East Prussia which was christened three weeks ago by the 12-year old grand-daughter of the late President von Hindenburg but could not be launched when owing to the cold weather, left her dock here on Saturday.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

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Gounod in Vienna (arr. Walter)
Maruschka (De Leur)

Cuban Serenade (Midgley)

9.25-9.42 p.m.—Song Memories.
Melodies of Robert Burns—
Clarice Mayne—Medley—Clarice
Mayne (Comedienne)9.42-10 p.m.—A Jazz Piano recital
by Rale da Costa.

1. "Four Aces" Suite

2. Jazz Goblins.

3. Waltz Romantique.

10 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.

10.05 p.m.—Close Down.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

9 p.m., DJA, DJN Announcement
(Germ. Engl.)German Folk Song
Programme Forecast (Germ.
Engl.)9.15 p.m., Young Folks' Pro-
gramme:
"What jolly times together..."
A Half-hour with our Junior
Girls9.45 p.m., News in English on DJA
and in Dutch on DJN10 p.m., "Mixed Pickles"
Variety Programme11.15 p.m., News in German on DJA
and DJN

11.30 p.m., Military Music

12.15 a.m., News in English on DJA
and in Dutch on DJN12.30 a.m., Close down DJA, DJN
(Germ. Engl.)

RADIO MANILA

6.00 p.m., Souvenirs

6.10 p.m., Spanish Informational
Period6.30 p.m., English Informational
Period

7.00 p.m., Dinner Music

7.15 p.m., Studebaker Programme
Manila Motor Co.—Richard
Himber and his Studebaker
Champions7.30 p.m., States Steamship Co.
Programme, conducted by
Ralph King7.45 p.m., Parera Perfume Pro-
gramme (Chain KZEG)8.00 p.m., Manila Radiolites con-
ducted by Luis Nolasco

8.55 p.m., Stock Quotations

9.00 p.m., Continuation of Manila
Radiolites

9.30 p.m., Popular Varieties

10.30 p.m., Sign Off

KING'S COLOURS

Presented To Boy
ScoutsFlagstaff House was the scene of
much activity on Saturday after-
noon when Mrs. O. C. Borrett, wife
of the General Officer Command-
ing the Troops in China, presented
the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Boy
Scout troop with the King's Colours,
and also the Blanche Borrett
Challenge Axe trophy.There was a large gathering pre-
sent and among them were Major
General and Mrs. Borrett, Brigadier
General and Mrs. Seth-Smith,
Major Roupell, V.C., and Mrs.
Roupell, Col. and Mrs. Bilderbeck,
Lt.-Col. McPherson, Col. and Mrs.
Hearle, Capt. and Mrs. Maurice
Jones, Capt. Clough Taylor, Rev.
and Mrs. Davies, Rev. and Mrs.
Bateman, Mrs. Kirke, Mr. and Mrs.
Cock, Rev. N. V. Halward, F.
A. Engels (District Scoutmaster,
Shanghai), C. Low (Group Scout-
master, 4th Hong Kong Troop), G.
R. Ross, P. Connolly, D. Paul (A.
S. M.), G. Maddock (Club Master),
R. J. Dixon and J. Granham (Deep
Sea Scouts).The Drum and Fife Band of the
Royal Welch Fusiliers (by kind per-
mission of Lt. Col. Hindson and
Officers) rendered selections in the
course of the afternoon.After Mrs. Borrett had inspected
the Troop, the scouts gave ex-
hibitions of bridge-building, am-
bulance work and pioneering, and
this was followed by a competition
for the Blanche-Borrett Challenge
Axe trophy which was won by the
Eagle Patrol. This trophy is pre-
sented annually to the best patrol
for camping and woodcraft and
each patrol had to erect a tent,
tripod and flagstaff.After the competition the
colours, which were donated to the
troop by Colonel Bilderbeck and
Lt.-Col. McPherson, were presented
to Troop Leader C. Foley.Lt.-Col. McPherson gave a short
speech, remarking on the excellence
of the display. He went on to say
that a few days ago he had sug-
gested to Mrs. Borrett that she
should present the colours, and
now she had gone a step further by
donating the Blanche-Borrett
Trophy to the Troop. "This act is
typical of Mrs. Borrett's work
among the garrison and their
families," he said, and added that
he thought it very fitting that on
the eve of her departure Mrs. Bor-
rett should be presenting the
Challenge Trophy.Saving A Life
Before presenting the letters and
warrants to members of the Troop,
the Rev. N. V. Halward, Commis-
sioner of Hong Kong, on behalf of
the Hong Kong Boy Scouts' Asso-
ciation, thanked Major-General
and Mrs. Borrett for allowing the
Scouts to have the use of the
grounds and also for presenting the
Colours and Trophy; he also thank-
ed Col. Bilderbeck and Lt.-Col. Mc-
Pherson for donating the colours.He then said that he had a letter
signed by H.E. the Governor, Sir
William Peel, to present to Patrol
Leader Colin Foley, who was in-
strumental in saving the life of a
fellow-pupil at the Central British
School. On January 25 one of the
pupils of the C.B.S. cut his arm
badly when he accidentally put it
through a window. Foley im-
mediately applied his scouting
knowledge and put a tourniquet on
the boy's arm, thus helping to save
his life.Warrants were then presented to
Group Scoutmaster G. R. Ross, and
Assistant Scoutmaster P. Connolly.MRS. BORRETT'S SPEECH
In presenting the Colours, Mrs.
Borrett said:"I feel sure it will be of interest
to you to hear something about the
raising and activities of the 4th
Kowloon (Garrison) Troop Boy
Scouts."This Troop was officially re-
cognised and registered on March
16, 1933, and was raised by its pre-
sent Group Scoutmaster, Mr. G. R.
Ross, with a nucleus of six boys on
the roll."It is of interest to note that the
Wolf Cub Pack was started as re-
cently as January 23 this year, with
17 on the roll."The pack has already made
much progress and has fully just-
ified its formation. Although by
far the youngest Pack in the
Colony, the Cubs have every inten-
tion of making an earnest attempt
in the Inter-Pack Competition to
be held on Saturday next, and I
trust this attempt may be crowned
with success."I should like to add that The
King's Colour that I have just had
the honour of presenting to the
Troop has kindly been given by
Colonel Bilderbeck and Lt.-Col.
E. R. Macpherson, and I feel sure
that both the Officers, Scouts, and
Cubs of the 4th Kowloon (Garr-
ison) Troop would wish to join the
General Officer-Commanding and

instructing them.

myself in thanking these two
senior Officers for their generous
gift and in making it possible for
the Troop to possess a real King's
Colour of their very own."We have all watched with great
interest the Scout Display this
afternoon and the Inter-Patrol
Competition, and are unanimous, I
feel sure, in not only congratulat-
ing the Scouts and Wolf Cubs
themselves on their efficiency, but
also their Officers, who have ex-
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AT THE CINEMAS

Latest Trade Notices

TWENTY MILLION SWEETHEARTS

First National, in another timely and revealing production, "Twenty Million Sweethearts," which is scheduled as the feature attraction at the Star Theatre to-day, pictures the joys and tribulations, the glamour and the romance, in the lives of radio entertainers as gathered from peeping behind the scenes.

The story, by Paul FINDER Moss and Jerry Wald, presents the intimate side of the singers and announcers whom everyone has heard over the air, but whom few have seen or know. While there is a well knit plot with comedy and drama and romance intermingled, the picture is enlivened by many musical numbers, both vocal and instrumental.

A new romantic team is brought to the screen in this picture with Dick Powell and Ginger Rogers, as screen lovers, both of whom have been trained in the art of singing and acting. Altogether the picture is said to be one of the most colourful productions to come to the screen as well as one with the widest variety of entertainment. Ray Enright directed from the screen play by Warren Duff and Harry Sauber.

6 DAY BIKE RIDER

"Behind the serious, thoughtful face of Lloyd Bacon, who directed Joe E. Brown in "6 Day Bike Rider," the First National picture coming to the Alhambra Theatre on Wednesday there is a real sense and appreciation of humour.

This combination of seriousness and a keen sense of comedy has placed Bacon among the most versatile of motion picture directors. Whether comedy, comedy-drama, drama or musical, Bacon is master of the different techniques required. Because of this he is adept at conveying the proper mood at the proper time to the players.

In Brown's new picture, which requires one gag scene after another, no one on the set is more expressive of good, clean comedy than Bacon. He always rewards the players in such scenes with a chuckle, or a hearty laugh.

THE NIGHT IS YOUNG

Litling romance of Vienna, borne on the wings of music, lends charm to "The Night Is Young," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's glamorous love story with songs having its final showings to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

The creation of Oscar Hammerstein II and Sigmund Romberg who gave the world, "Desert Song" and "New Moon" and other outstanding hits, it is a haunting story of the Imperial Ballet, in which spectacular scenes, heart interest and gorgeous song hits are blended into a dramatic theme.

Ramon Novarro of "The Pagan," "The Barbarian," "The Cat and the Fiddle" and other hits, is teamed with Evelyn Laye, singing star from London who won outstanding success in "One Heavenly Night" and her recent "Evenings." An elaborate cast includes Edward Everett Horton, Una Merkel, Charles Butterworth, Henry Stephenson, Rosalind Russell, Herman Bing and Albert Conti.

THE CRIME OF HELEN STANLEY

Ralph Bellamy, as Inspector Trent in Columbia's "The Crime of Helen Stanley" due shortly at the Queen's Theatre, discovers that there are more clues in the murder of Helen Stanley, picture actress, than he can account for.

Some six persons have definite and different motives for murdering the temperamental actress as she worked on the set. Through a maze of intrigue that had been built thread by thread while the actress lived, Bellamy finally wanders his way to the solution of the crime in a novel climax.

Gail Patrick is cast as Helen Stanley. Shirley Grey portrays one of the suspected murderers. The supporting cast includes Vincent Sherman, Bradley, Page Ward, Bond and Clifford Jones.

KANSAS CITY PRINCESS

There have been many freak contests of late, dancing contests, kissing contests, tree sitting and what-not, but a couple of Warner Bros. cuties have started a new novelty.

The two cuties, incidentally are now co-starred, together with Robert Armstrong and Hugh Herbert in the Warner Bros. production of "Kansas City Princess," which comes to the Central Theatre on Wednesday. The two are Joan Blondell and Glenda Farrell.

In the picture the two play the part of a pair of gold digging manicurists on a series of hilarious adventures that take them from a mid-west town to gay Paris. "A manicurist," sniffed Glenda, "I can do as good a job or better, than most of them myself, and I frequently do my own nails."

"I learned the art long ago," said Joan, "when I had to do it because, I didn't have the price of a manicure."

Then her eyes lighted up. "Tell you what," she said. "I'll bet you a lunch I can do a job of manicuring quicker and better than you can."

Glenda quickly accepted the challenge. Robert Armstrong and Gordon Westcott, were selected as the victims and William Keighley as judge. Joan started work on Westcott's hands and Glenda on Armstrong's. In twenty-seven minutes flat Joan had completed her job. One and a half minutes later Glenda had finished. Keighley adjudged both jobs of equal merit so the wager was won by Joan, and Glenda bought the lunch.

THE FIRST WORLD WAR

"Humanity's greatest confession."

The phrase has been used to describe the notable volume of war photographs edited by Laurence Stallings, "The First World War," which for many months has been a best-seller not only in the United States but in Europe as well.

Now this volume has been the inspiration for a thrilling motion picture. Likewise edited by Laurence Stallings and likewise titled "The First World War." It is showing currently at the King's Theatre.

The international interest in this sensational book may be indicated by a brief survey of its recent sales. Its original edition of 32,000 copies, published by Simon and Schuster, was sold at a retail price of \$3.75.

The Book of the Month Club distributed 60,000 additional copies at the same price in America. In England, sponsored by the London "Daily Mail," the Simon and Schuster edition sold 100,000 copies.

Now, it is pointed out, those same readers, viewing "The First World War" in its film version, will have the added advantage of seeing its contents "in action," no longer confined to the limits of the printed page.

LOTTERY LOVER

"Breaking into pictures to-day is no different nor any more difficult, than it was several years ago," says Lew Ayres, Fox Film player who has the leading male role in "Lottery Lover" which arrives at the King's Theatre on Tuesday.

"All the luck charms, smiles of fate and good old fashioned fortune are still the biggest factors in deciding just who is or who is not to be a screen player."

"I consider my chance in "All Quiet On The Western Front" one of the greatest bits of luck in the history of Hollywood. This is, of course, as far as I am concerned. "There isn't any formula nor chart one can follow in seeking a screen career. Of course there is the usual procedure of starting in a stock company, proceeding to Broadway and being discovered there and sent to Hollywood. But this method presents its difficulties and luck counts just as much in securing a break in this way as battering down the doors of studios through the extra route."

Featured with Ayres in "Lottery Lover" are "Pat" Paterson and Peggy Fears, sensational new Fox Film import from Broadway. Other players are Walter King, Alan Dinehart, Reginald Denny and Nick Farn.

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Walter King • Alan Dinehart
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Produced by AL ROCKETT

ADMIRAL TO PAY DAMAGES

Responsibility For Wife's Torts

London, March 18.—The young widow of a naval lieutenant who was killed in a flying accident seven years ago was awarded £235 at Middlesex Sheriff's Court, yesterday, against an admiral and his wife for a slander by the admiral's wife.

The plaintiff was Mrs. Mariel Nicholson, 29, of Wood Street Village, near Guildford; the defendants were Adm. George Holmes Borrett and his wife, of Pine Grove, Weybridge.

The Under-Sheriff, Mr. Ruston, said Adm. and Mrs. Borrett had, by not appearing in the High Court, allowed judgment to go by default, and the question for the jury was simply one of damages.

Mr. J. H. Morris, K.C., for the plaintiff, said Mrs. Nicholson was the widow of Lt. John Nicholson R.N., who in June, 1928, was killed when flying from the aircraft cruiser Courageous.

Mrs. Nicholson was now receiving a small pension for herself and her son from the Admiralty, and was working as a teacher of games and dancing at two girls' schools.

It was alleged, Mr. Morris continued, that Mrs. Borrett said to Mrs. Nicholson's father-in-law, Major Scoble Nicholson, and his sister, Mrs. Halley, at the latter's flat, "Where is this going to end? Well, if you don't know it, you ought to." Jack Hall (meaning Mr. Jack Abney Hall, a married man) has been living for over a year with Mariel.

"Not A Word Of Truth" Mrs. Nicholson, giving evidence, said there was not a word of truth in the allegation.

Mr. Slade, for the defence, read letters from Mrs. Borrett's solicitors apologising for and withdrawing the statement, and offering to pay all costs and to give £25 to any charity.

Asked whether she wished to

THE CENTRAL

Powell-Keeler Film Attract Crowds

For the past few weeks or so, the management of the Central Theatre have been decidedly happy in their choice of pictures but it may be safely said that "Flirtation Walk," which opened its run there yesterday, is about the best they have offered for a long time.

The principle roles are taken by Dick Powell and Ruby Keeler, that popular team who scored such a success in "Footlight Parade" while the directing was in the capable hands of Frank Borzage. Pat O'Brien lends very sympathetic support to the "most popular screen lovers."

There are two spectacular dance numbers that will make their director, Bobby Connolly famous. One is the first screen reproduction of an Hawaiian hula, or "Feet of Love," in which scores of native Hawaiian dancers and musicians participate. The other was filmed at West Point's historic "Flirtation Walk" in which additional scores of the most beautiful girls in Hollywood are seen.

Powell sings three catchy songs during the course of the film while Ruby Keeler is sweeter than ever. "Flirtation Walk" drew crowded houses to the Central yesterday, and after those who had seen the film had had some time to talk about it, I fully expect the "House Full" sign to be exhibited at the Central every day during its run at that theatre.—F. Mela.

make money out of the case, Mrs. Nicholson said she had no wish to make profit, but looked for compensation for the misery and unhappiness she had suffered from her anxiety as to whether the statement would go beyond her father-in-law and aunt.

In the witness-box Mrs. Borrett repeated that there was not a word of truth in the statement, and said she sincerely regretted having made it.

It was explained that Adm. Borrett could not help being joined with his wife as a defendant in

"EVERGREEN"

At The Alhambra

"Evergreen" the Gaumont-British production which had such a successful run at the Central Theatre earlier in the week opened its season at the Alhambra yesterday when the large number of people who attended continued the previous reports that it was an excellent film.

No other than the talented Jessie Matthews takes the leading role—that of Harriet Green, a stage favourite of old days and, later in the film, as her daughter who tries to deceive the public that she is the real Harriet Green, staging a "comeback." Sonny Hale is also in the cast and these two players provide us with a type of entertainment that is at once unique and acceptable.—N.M.

STEREOSCOPIC FILM SCREEN

(Special Air Mail Service)
London, March 18.

The possibilities of the stereoscopic film screen have now attracted the attention of Imperial Chemical Industries, and I understand that laboratory work carried out by that organisation is approaching completion. An immense amount of research has been necessary in connection with the perfection of "third dimensional" moving pictures, but success now seems assured. It appears that the essential factor in these stereoscopic experiments has proved to be the remarkable synthetic resin recently invented by the company's chemists. This glass-like substance, which has a much wider range of potential uses than glass, is used to treat the projection screen. Negotiations are also proceeding for the adaptation of the screen to television.

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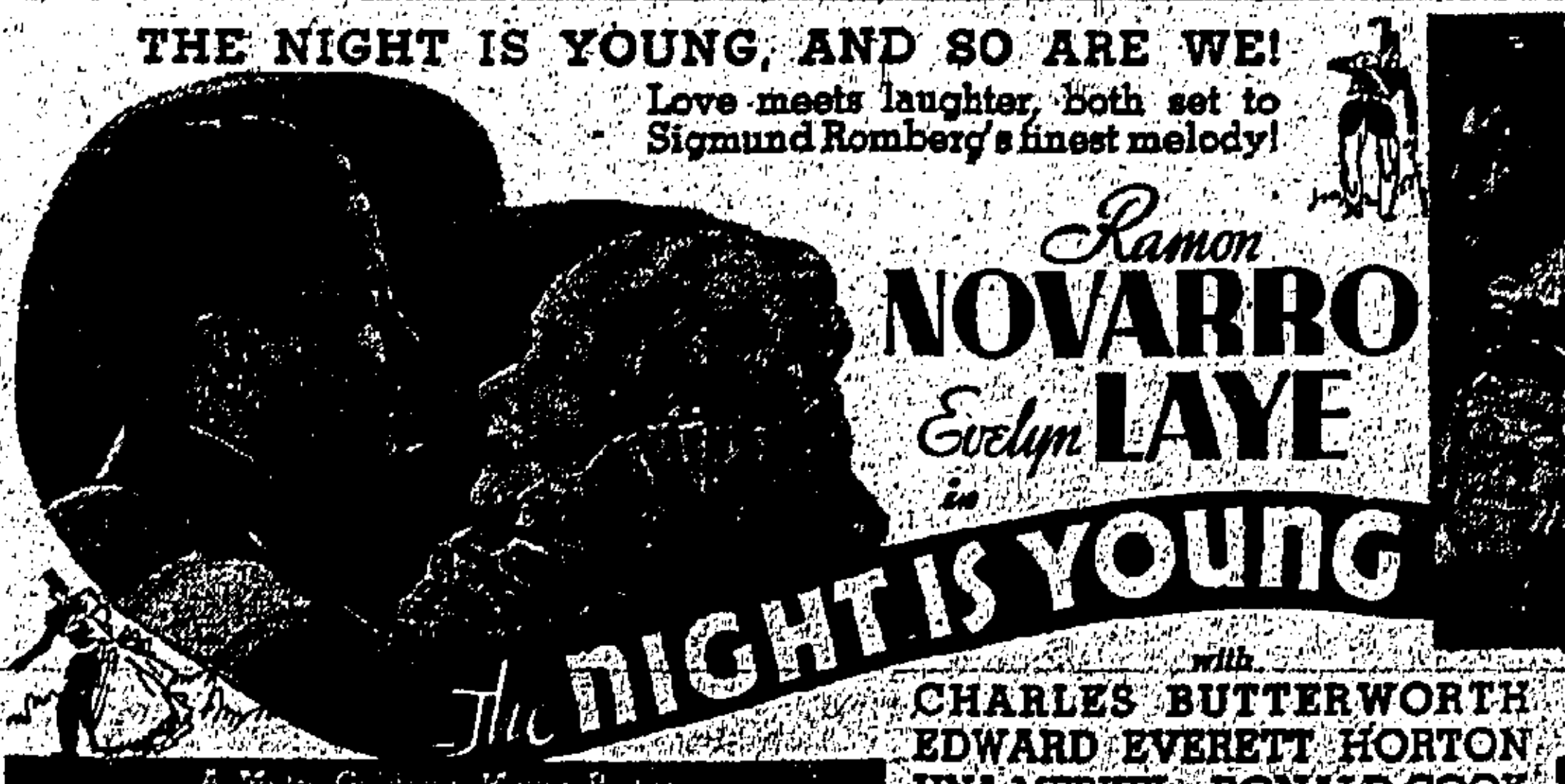
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"The Night Is Young"

ORIENTAL:—
"That's A Good Girl"

CENTRAL:—
"Flirtation Walk"

KOWLOON

MAJESTIC:—
"The World Moves On"

ALHAMBRA:—
"Evergreen"

Coming

KING'S:—
"Lottery Lover"

QUEEN'S:—
"The Winning Ticket"

ORIENTAL:—
"Stingaree"

CENTRAL:—
"Kansas City Princess"
"Six Day Bike Rider"
"Ruggles Of Red Gap"

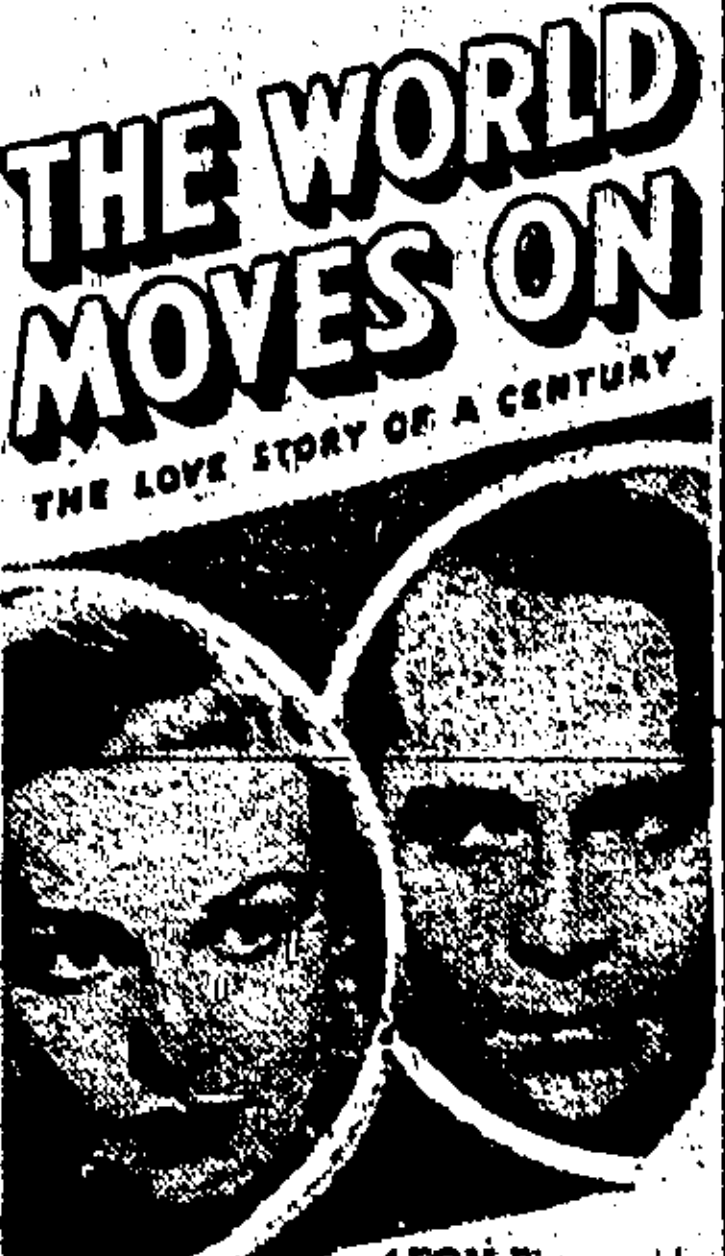
MAJESTIC:—
"Long Lost Father"

ALHAMBRA:—
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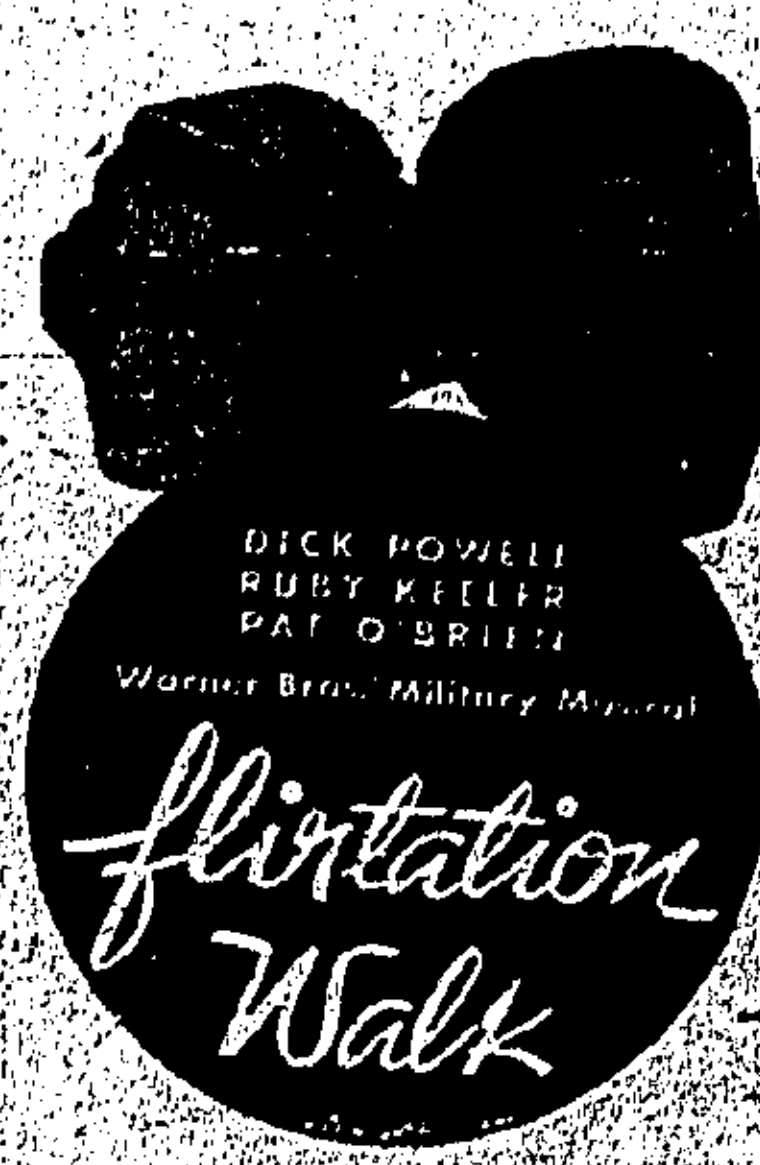
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CABLES "SWENONIS"

THE MAXIMUM PENALTY In Dog Summons

The maximum penalty of \$250 or, in default, three months' imprisonment, was imposed by Mr. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistrate's Court on Saturday on two unemployed Chinese who were charged with bringing a black chow bitch into the Colony from Sai Kung without a permit from the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon.

His Worship also reprimanded the defendants who were Chan Chung, aged 47, and Tai Kai, aged 24.

In passing sentence, His Worship said: "By bringing in dogs like this you cause the dogs of the Colony a lot of discomfort, and myself and the police a lot of work, and cause dog owners in the Colony a vast amount of annoyance and expense. You also help to spread rabies. People have died of this and it is due to people like you bringing dogs in from outside." A dog belonging to Major Thoys, of the Lincolns, caused a stir at the Dock on Saturday by behaving in a peculiar manner. Major Thoys at once communicated with the police to this effect, and a police officer was immediately despatched to the scene but on his arrival it was found that the animal had left the Docks a few minutes before.

A description of the dog was immediately circulated and a few hours later the animal was found in Mong Kok. It was subsequently taken to Ma Tau Kok where it is now under observation.

EUROPEAN BOY BITTEN

A dog belonging to Mrs. Almsworth, residing at the Military Married Quarters in Kennedy Road, was sent to Kennedy Town for observation on Friday last, after having bitten a young lad, Thomas Ridings of No. 3, Warrant Officers' Quarters, Kennedy Road. The boy was sent to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

ENTERPRISING ROBBERS

Six Hauls In An Hour

No less than six armed robberies with violence were reported to have occurred in the New Territories within an hour on Saturday when three men armed with a dagger and a revolver, decamped with jewellery, clothes, piecegoods and money to the total value of nearly \$1000, after stabbing two elderly Chinese women.

In his report to the Police Cheung Tsi-hang, a doctor of No. 15, Shek Wu Wui, Sheung Shui, stated that about 12.15 a.m. on Saturday, the front door of his shop, the Tsz Sheung grocery shop, was forced open and three men, armed with a revolver and a dagger, entered. They forced open his safe with an iron bar and took jewellery and money to the total value of over \$200.

They demanded from the victim's mother, Yuen Fuk-toi, aged 64, the keys to open two boxes and stabbed her in the left leg after she had told them that she did not possess the keys.

Li Fong, master of the Wan Hing Tea House, stated in his report that three men entered his shop and held him up with a revolver and a dagger. They searched the place and decamped with jewellery.

Chan Fong, a shop fook, residing in room No. 12 at the Wa Hing Tea House, has reported to the police that he was also visited by the three armed men, who ransacked his room, and, after searching his wife, escaped, with about \$454 in money and jewellery.

Lam Hing, a cook living in Room No. 29, Mak Yuet, a widow residing in room No. 9, and Au Yeung-kwan, of the Pak Cheung Tong shop made similar reports to the police of having been visited by three armed men, who ransacked their belongings and decamped with money, clothing, and jewellery.

HEALTH BULLETIN OF EASTERN PORTS

Week Ending March 30, 1935
Fluorid:—Bassett, 2 cases;
Cholera:—Calcutta, 187 cases;
Negapatnam, 2; Chittagong, 7;
Pnom-Penh, 1.

Small-Pox:—Bombay, 117 cases;
Calcutta, 149; Cochin, 1; Karachi, 2; Madras, 10; Mouline, 1; Negapatnam, 11; Rangoon, 31; Tuticorin, 1; Vazapatnam, 30; Pnom-Penh, 8; Macao, 2; Hong Kong, 2; Shanghai, 3.

YACHTING Corinthian Series Completed

The Corinthian Series were completed on Saturday. Commodore F. Elliott, in Pat, winning the "A" Class series comfortably, with 78 points. Mr. G. G. Wood, in Artemis, gained second place with 60 points, and Major Griffin, sailing Wasp II, came third with 58 points.

In the "T" and "Y" Classes: Mr. R. B. Williams, sailing Jade, won first place with 53 points, and Major Marshall, in Robena, with 43 points, just beat Capt. Ingle, in Heron, who registered 42 points.

In the "A" Class Mr. P. Ramus came first with 34 points in Diana, Mr. E. G. Lee, sailing Ariel, came second with 29 points, and Mr. W. M. Brown third, sailing Siskin, with 19 points.

In the "C" Class Capt. Fennel, in Toynette, came first with 34 points. Mr. H. M. Finlay in Sirius was second with 32 points, and Gael (Capt. H. Quinlan) third with 21 points.

The results were as follows:—

	Finished	Pts.	Total
Carpenter (Mr. Bergue-Coupland)	16.28.20	9	20
Oala (D.N.F.)	—	—	11
Wasp II (Major Griffin)	16.25.27	7	58
Artemis (Mr. G. G. Wood)	16.24.23	4	60
La Linda (D.N.S.)	—	—	28
Jah (Mr. M. Bergaust)	16.24.53	6	43
Isobel (Comdr. Cowland, R.N.)	16.23.17	3	46
Joss (Mr. S. Odland)	16.24.25	5	41
Gull (Mr. B. Naess)	16.25.36	8	46
Cicada (D.N.S.)	—	—	8
True Blue (D.N.S.)	—	—	39
Pat (Commodore F. Elliott, R.N.)	16.22.59	2	78
Painted Lady (Lieut. Comdr. H. V. King, R.N.)	16.22.32	1	49

"H" CLASS

Diana (Mr. P. Ramus)	16.48.00	1	34
Colleen (Col. Kirke)	16.49.51	3	11
Siskin (Mr. W. M. Brown)	16.49.42	2	19
Ariel (Mr. E. G. Lee)	16.58.21	4	29
Dorothea (D.N.F.)	—	—	14

"I" AND "Y" CLASSES

Daphne (Mr. J. G. Pilcher)	16.42.18	5	32
Jade (Mr. R. W. Williams)	16.33.17	1	53
Heron (Capt. C. T. Ingle)	16.36.44	2	42
Robena (Major H. Marshall)	16.40.24	3	43
Widgeon (Adanac)	16.42.17	4	29
Zephyr	—	—	—

"G" CLASS

Gael	16.47.34	2	34
Toynette (Capt. W. J. Fennel)	—	—	12
Eunice (D.N.F.)	—	—	3
Joan (D.N.S.)	—	—	1
Sirius (Mr. H. M. Finlay)	16.44.41	1	32

Lola (N.D.S.) 13

CHANGES IN PROGRAMME

The following are the alterations to the Sailing programme for the rest of the Season:—

April 13 31 Sweepstake races for A Class, I.Y.D.G. Classes, N Class.

April 14, Tai Yat Cup Race.—Start 9.50 hrs. Handicap race for 1st 3As, 1st 3Ts and Ys, 1st 3Gs, 1st 3Ns, in Championship Series.

There will be a similar race for all other boats. Start 10 hrs. The remaining races will be as per programme.

YESTERDAY'S RACE

The race between the Army and the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club was sailed yesterday when the Army won by 42 points. The morning event resulted in each side securing 98 points but in the afternoon the Army scored 120 to the Club's 88, making the totals Army 218 and Club 186. In the previous race the Club had scored 122 against the Army's 132, the total therefore being Club 308 and Army 350.

FAARSEING FRENCH DIPLOMAT

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright) 1)

Paris, Apr. 5.
Jules Cambon, the last French Ambassador to Berlin in pre-war days has just reached the age of ninety. Cambon was born during the reign of the bourgeois king, Louis Philippe, hence he lived through one of the most turbulent periods in French history during which the regime changed several times.

The French newspapers recall

THE DEPRESSION Causes Bad Year's Work

Presiding at the Annual Meeting of the Gande Price Co., Ltd., Mr. J. F. Shea reported a loss of \$3,391.53 on the year's working account which was attributed to keener competition and the depression plus the reduction of prices in certain goods.

Supporting Mr. Shea were Messrs. Kenneth Chan and Wong Sik Chung (directors), J. M. Wong (Secretary) and the following shareholders: Messrs. D. Rumjahn, R. F. Phillips, Tsu Ho Tsung.

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Addressing the meeting the chairman said:—

Gentlemen.—The Report and Statement of Accounts having been in your hands for some time, I will with your permission take them as read. Your Directors regret that the working for the year under review has resulted in the loss of \$3,391.53. This amount together with the debit balance of \$11,518.27 brought forward from Profit and Loss Account as at 31st December, 1934, makes a debit balance of \$19,909.80, which your Director propose to carry forward to 1935.

Owing to the general depression of trade, our turnover for the year under review is very low as compared with previous years. Due also to the keen competition prevailing, we had to cut down prices in most cases, thereby our profits were greatly reduced.

The property slump in Hong Kong had also affected us. Our godowns in Wanchai were vacant for the greater part of the year. One of them is still vacant at the present time.

It has been the earnest wish of your Directors to place before you a report worthy of your best consideration, but although they have done their utmost and received the full co-operation and support of the staff, they regret to state they have not reached their expectations, owing to the adverse circumstances they have had to contend with. However, I would like to draw your attention to the fact that the loss of \$3,391.53 incurred last year included depreciations and writing off of bad and doubtful debts.

With these few remarks I have much pleasure in proposing the adoption of the report and Statement of Accounts as presented, and after they have been seconded, I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability any questions shareholders may care to ask.

SECONDER'S SPEECH

In rising to second the motion Mr. D. Rumjahn said:—

"Mr. Chairman and gentleman, in rising to second the adoption of the report and accounts, I am sure shareholders will agree with me that, although we have suffered a loss of \$3,391.53 for the year, we should not be depressed over the situation, when one considers that we have had to meet far keener competition than in previous years, coupled with the general state of depression that prevailed in Hong Kong during the year under review."

Practise Economy

"In view of these facts, I trust, the Directors and executive will not lose sight of the difficult times and more competitive conditions which have to be faced in the future. The necessity therefore of practising economy should be taken in hand savings effected where possible."

"With these few remarks, I have much pleasure in seconding the motion that the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts, for the year ended December 31, 1934, as presented, be agreed."

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Wong Sik-chung was re-elected to the Board of Directors on the proposal of Mr. R. P. Phillips, seconded by Mr. Tsu Ho-tung.

Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews were re-elected auditors for the ensuing year at a remuneration of \$750 on the proposal of Mr. Wong Sik-chung, seconded by Mr. Kenneth Chan.

that on November 22, 1913 Cambon addressed a letter to the French Government demanding adequate preparations for war with Germany which he declared was inevitable, and, moreover, that it was through Cambon's advice that every mistake was avoided which might have hindered Great Britain entering into the war on the side of France.

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NOT GOODBYE BUT JUST "AU REVOIR"

Fellow Jockeys Entertain Mr. "Johnny" Heard

Mr. A. J. P. ("Johnny") Heard, the well-known jockey, was entertained to a dinner by over 40 of his riding colleagues at the Hong Kong Jockey Club on Saturday night, the occasion being to bid him "au revoir." He will be leaving for Home on retirement next Friday by the Conte Rosso.

Among those present at the function were: Messrs. L. G. Frost, G. A. Harriman, Li Lam Sang, Harry Hong Sing, S. Y. Liang, Y. F. Fung, Yu Shun Wa, S. To Wong, H. A. Botelho, A. R. Botelho, Chin Chiang Tan, W. C. Poy, D. Black, S. K. Lee, V. R. Gordon, C. N. Kong, S. N. Pan, A. H. Penn, J. Souza, R. M. Wood, H. Seth, Yeung Wing Hong, Li Fuk Wing, C. M. Alves, W. H. S. Davis, H. V. Pearce, G. Neugebauer, P. H. Reece, D. V. Lopes, D. F. Lopes, J. B. Sanderson, A. D. Coppin, G. A. Rosa and J. Johnson.

A SAD PARTING

The function was an informal affair and all those present thoroughly enjoyed themselves, there being a toast for every item on the menu!

In a brief speech, Mr. Gilbert Harriman said that he was quite sure all would agree with him when he said how sorry they were to have been forced to say "good-bye" to their old pal "Johnny." He hoped however it was only "au revoir" as he was sure that they would very much like to see Johnny again. He knew that in his (Mr. Heard's) heart he would long to come back.

Referring to Mr. Heard's association with the local turf, Mr. Harriman said that he had been one of them for the last 30 years and during that time had always ridden with "guts and honesty" and had been a "pal" to them all. "I am sure," said Mr. Harriman, "that he goes away with the goodwill and the best wishes of all of us." (Hear, hear). We all wish him long life and prosperity in the old country. I will now call our leading jockey, "Leo" to present to "Johnny" a souvenir which we hope will not wear out too soon." (Applause).

THE CALL OF THE EAST

In presenting Mr. Heard with a leather suit case, Mr. "Leo" Frost said that he was very glad that the best part of the programme should be his. "I am very glad," said Mr. Frost, "in having been allowed to get up and make this small presentation to our old friend, Johnny, the idol of this course. I am most serious when I say that he can tell us where to get off at any time. We always think ourselves good in our estimation, including myself, but our trivial successes are mere flash in the pan after a series of two or three years as compared with his many, many successes over a period of thirty years. These things do not come just as a flash—you get to know something about something when you get old after such long years and with such consistent success. I will go further and say that experience counts and there is more in riding than mere brawn and muscle, and that little bit of grey matter which most of us possess must be called upon now and then if we are to follow in the footsteps of Mr. Johnny Heard."

Referring to Mr. Heard's retirement, Mr. Frost said that he very much doubted whether he would

stay away from them for long for there is an attraction out East which brings one back, and he hoped this attraction would have the effect on Mr. Heard.

PACKED WITH GOOD WISHES

Continuing, Mr. Frost said: "I sincerely hope that he will come back for even if he cannot compete with us with an extra 40 inches round the waist, we can still meet him in the bar. Inside this small bag is packed our very good wishes and when I present him this little thing, the cost for which is not much, I can assure him that it is packed with all the good wishes of the jockeys and gentlemen present. I wish it will carry him good luck and will make him come back and join us in the very near future." (Applause).

In his reply, Mr. Heard recalled the racing in the old days in Newchwang, Shanghai and Hong Kong and advised the novice jockeys to train every day for one, he said, could not expect to turn up once a week and ride winners. "I feel that I may come back," said Mr. Heard, "but certainly not in 1936, although I may be with you for four months in 1937, but it is in the hands of the gods. I very much appreciate the honour you have accorded me and I thank you very much indeed."

OTHER TRIBUTES

On behalf of the Chinese owners and jockeys, Mr. L. To Wong said that Mr. Heard would be greatly missed from among their ranks.

The party then drank the toast of "au revoir" to Mr. Heard. Mr. R. M. Wood, Mr. Harold Seth and Mr. Harry Hong Sing also spoke, paying tributes to Mr. Heard.

THE AVEROFF IN —PHILATELY

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, March 18.

Stamp collectors who have been reading lately about the activities of the Greek cruiser Averoff, probably do not realise that they have seen her picture many times on one of their own stamps. It is the three-drachmae value of the 1927 pictorial issue of Greece, which is still in use. The fact that a likeness of the Averoff should be selected for one of these stamps, all of which are specially designed to look attractive, is some measure of the Greek nation's pride in the flagship of its navy. This ship is now probably the rebels' chief asset, and one can imagine the feelings of harassed members of the present Greek Government on receiving letters which bear the three-drachmae stamp. There is obvious scope for tact in stamping one's letters in Greece at the present time.

Other nations have also issued stamps depicting warships—notably Turkey and Italy. Curiously enough, the Italian battle cruiser Trento, which has just been ordered to the Aegean Sea, is the warship which forms the chief design for the 1.25-lira value of an issue of three stamps made by Italy in 1931 to commemorate the fifteenth anniversary of the foundation of the Naval Academy at Leghorn.

AMBULANCE BRIGADE

Hold Annual Dinner Dance

FAREWELL TO HIS EXCELLENCY AND LADY PEEL

The organisers of the St. John Ambulance Association and Brigade annual dinner-dance, must have felt highly gratified at the splendid response to their appeal for help when a crowd of over four hundred people attended the function on Saturday night at the Hong Kong Hotel.

The patron of the Association, His Excellency the Governor was unable to attend owing to a previous engagement but Lady Peel, attended by Capt. R. F. Walter, A. D. C. graced the proceedings with her presence.

During the course of the evening, Sir William Shenton read the following cable from the Director, Mr. Alfred Morris, who is at present at Swatow:

"Tender sincere apologies for unavoidable delay. Wish function unqualified success and participants unalloyed enjoyment. Thank all for patronage and assistance. Morris."

The officials of the Association turned out in full strength and amongst those present besides the President Sir William Shenton, were Dr. D. J. Valentine (Corps Surgeon), Mr. Tang Shu Kin, M. B. E., (Chairman of the Finance Committee), vice-presidents, Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore (Brigade Surgeon) Chairman, and the following members of the committee: Drs. (Mrs.) Dovey, Li Shu Fan, Ip Kam Wah, Yip Tai Ching, Tseung Fat In, Mrs. Valentine, Dr. Ma Luk, Dr. Arthur Woo, and Messrs. E. M. Raymond, Li Chor Chi, Kwok Yan and Mrs. R. Langley (Secretary). Others present were: Lady Shenton, Mrs. Moore, Capt. and Mrs. Perrack, Mr. Edwin Taylor and party, Mr. T. M. Hazelrigg and party, Mr. Ip Lan Cheun, Mr. Breahey and party, Prof. and Mrs. Gerrard, Mr. Stafford Smith and party, Mr. S. T. Williamson and party, Mr. S. H. Langston and party, officers of the various divisions and parties, and many others.

MISS REYNOLDS

The Entertainment arranged by Mr. Li Chor Chi, proved extremely popular, and every item provided was heartily received and encores were demanded from every artist. Special mention must be made of the solo dances executed by Miss Azalea Reynolds who on going twice to the floor delighted the audience with her cleverly executed toe dances and the young lady had to comply with four encores to each of her turns. So great was the insistence that she gave an additional turn towards the close. She was the recipient of several baskets of flowers. The following took part in the entertainment:

Surg. Lieut. Ross, Mr. Li Chor Chi, Miss Azalea Reynolds, Miss Elvie Yuen and Miss Lewis.

In the course of the evening Dr. W. B. A. Moore the Chairman delivered the following speech which was interpreted by Dr. Li Shu Fan.

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Dr. W. B. A. Moore, addressing the gathering, said:

Mr. President, Lady Peel, Ladies and Gentlemen:

The privilege of telling you something about the St. John Ambulance Brigade and the work it does has fallen on me.

The first important event of the year was the passing of the St. John Ambulance Ordinance of 1934. The object of this ordinance were—

- To protect the insignias of the Order.
- To give the Organisation perpetual succession in the Colony and
- To provide a legal entity for holding property.

REWARD FOR SERVICES

The next event of importance was the opening of the Haw Par Hospital at Cheung Chau, on the 21st of November, by Mrs. Borrett, wife of H. E. Major General Borrett. The Hospital was erected at the expense of Mr. Aw Poon Haw and presented to the Association. (Applause). In recognition of his generosity, H. M. the King, on the recommendation of the Grand Prior of the Order, approved of the award of the Silver 'Donat' Badge to Mr. Aw H. M. the King at the same time approved of the award of the Bronze 'Donat' Badge to Mr. Ip Kwai Ching, who collected \$10,000 towards furniture and equipment (Applause).

Lastly, I must mention the construction of Brigade Headquarters which is now nearing completion. The building is being erected by Mr. Chau Man Chi and Family for presentation to the Brigade. For this generous gift H. M. the King has approved of his being awarded the Silver 'Donat' Badge.

With suitable Headquarters, where lectures and demonstrations can be given and competitions held, the efficiency of the Brigade will be greatly increased.

I will now say a few words about the Organisation and work of the Brigade. The strength of the Brigade is 451 all told, of whom 219 are men, 131 nurses and the remainder Surgeons and other officers. As you all know, the driving force in the Brigade is Mr. Morris, who is the Commissioner in Charge. Recently he has been given the more important title of Director of Ambulance, which signifies that he is in charge of all ambulance affairs, both for the Association and the Brigade.

Next to our Commissioner, I must mention District Superintendent Rastoin, to whom we are indebted for the smartness and efficiency of the Brigade on parade. For many years he has been in charge of the Brigade at its annual inspections, but at the last parade he handed these duties over to Mr. Leung Sin Sang, who must be congratulated on the efficient way in which he took charge. (Applause). Finally, I must mention our energetic Honorary Secretary, Mrs. Langley, who works so hard in our interests. It is difficult to say enough in her praise; she never spares herself and is devoted to the work. (Applause).

USEFULNESS OF BRIGADE

The Brigade consists of persons holding First-Aid Certificates issued by St. John's Ambulance Association who have banded together in order to do team work. Whenever a serious calamity occurs such as a fire, typhoon or landslide, the members of the Brigade are quickly on the scene attending to the injured. Last year after the Gas Explosion members of the Brigade were promptly on the spot and did excellent work. (Applause). But apart from their work as first-aiders the members annually carry on a vaccination campaign during the Smallpox Season. During the year they performed roughly 168,000 vaccinations.

The Nursing Divisions of the Brigade are honoured by having our Patroness Lady Peel as Lady Corps Superintendent. Mrs. Langley is their District Superintendent and Dr. (Mrs.) Dovey the Corps Surgeon.

In the New Territories we have the activities of the Medical Benevolent Branch of the Brigade. We have four Maternity Hospitals and nine Dispensaries in the New Territories, and during 1934, 1,423 maternity cases and 142,490 general cases were treated.

It must be obvious that all this work requires money to pay for it. We depend entirely on voluntary donations and subscriptions and occasional sweepstakes. What funds we have are administered by the Finance Committee of which Mr. Tang Shu Kin is Chairman, and I may say here, that the funds they administer are largely supplied from their own generous donations. (Applause).

THANKS

Before concluding, I wish to thank the members of the Committee who worked so hard to arrange this function to-night, particularly the three lady members—Mrs. Valentine, Dr. (Mrs.) Dovey and Mrs. Langley, who bore the brunt of the work and so willingly gave up their time to make this evening a success.

We very much regret the absence to-night of our Patron, His Excellency Sir William Peel, owing to another engagement, but we are honoured by having our Patroness Lady Peel with us. During their stay in this Colony His Excellency and Lady Peel have identified themselves with every form of social welfare work and

FROM THE GAZETTE

Appointments, Etc

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. E. H. Williams to be Chief Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

The name of Jemadar Balwant Singh, I.M.D., of the Indian Subordinate Medical Staff, has been deleted from the list of persons authorised to sign medical certificates of the cause of death for the purposes of Births and Deaths Registration.

The appointment of Mr. Maurice Murray Watson to be a member of the Medical Board for a further term of three years, is gazetted with effect from March 5, 1935.

The Licensing Board will meet on April 17 to consider an application for a restaurant keeper's licence from Bunshichi Kawahara, of 41 Peking Road.

During the quarter ended March 31, 67 samples were analysed under the Sale of Food and Drugs Ordinance. Of these, all were genuine excepting one of lard and one of tinned vegetables.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to recognise, provisionally and pending instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. P. M. N. da Silva, as in charge of the Consulate for Portugal in Hong Kong.

Canal Road and Monmouth Path Markets have been closed.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. V. Sorby to be a member of the Advisory Committee of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

His Excellency the Governor has nominated Mr. M. K. Lo as a member of the Court of the University of Hong Kong for a further period of three years.

It is notified during the absence on leave of Mr. M. J. Quist, Consul-General for the Netherlands in Hong Kong, Mr. G. M. Byvanck will be in charge of the Netherlands Consulate-General.

TENDERS

The following tenders have been accepted:—

Sand bins at Praya East and Hung Hom.—Messrs. Woo Hing.

Repairs to No. 1 Police Launch.—Messrs. Kwong Cheung Hing.

Refuse dump at Kung Tong.—Messrs. Woo Hing.

Purchase of ammunition.—The Hong Kong Sporting Arms Store.

Repairs to M/L "Lila".—The Hong Kong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.

Summer clothing for Prison Staff.—Messrs. A. Lee.

Supply of a teak wood single-screw motor boat for police services at Tai O.—Messrs. Kwong Hip Lung and Co. (1932), Ltd.

BANK NOTES CIRCULATION

The returns for the average amount of bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hong Kong during the month ended March 31, 1935, and as certified by the Managers of the respective banks, gives the Chartered Bank at \$20,650,831 with \$8,300,000 specie in reserve; the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank at \$13,422,530, with \$132,750,000 specie in reserve, and the Mercantile Bank at \$1,771,781 with \$1,350,000 specie in reserve.

In addition the three banks, respectively, have \$777,500, \$3,234,000 and \$190,000 in securities deposited with the Crown Agents.

We are very grateful for the interest they have taken in the Brigade. As you all know, Lady Peel takes a deep interest in infant welfare work and it was mainly due to her initiative and energy that the Hospital at Kam Tin was started for the treatment of Women and Children, the buildings being lent by the Government. This hospital and the three others which have since been started are doing excellent work.

As this will be the last public function, in connection with the Brigade, before His Excellency and Lady Peel leave the Colony, I take this opportunity of wishing them long life and happiness in their retirement.

In conclusion, Ladies and Gentlemen, I thank you for your support in coming here to-night and I wish you all a very pleasant evening. (Applause).

CORRESPONDENCE

[All letters intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not for publication, unless so desired, but as evidence of good faith.—Ed.]

The Cinemas

[To the Editor, "The Hong Kong Daily Press"]

Sir,

I read with interest the letters of "N. O. Munnle" and "Rothschild" appearing in to-day's issue of your paper, and quite agree with them that the prices of admission charged by local cinemas are rather high.

It would appear, however, that despite the depression and favourable rate of exchange, nothing can be done to relieve the situation if Theatres and Film Companies have to pay entertainment tax and heavy censorship fees.

As regards entertainment tax, the Government could, without any hardship, easily eliminate this altogether. It should be the duty of the Government, in these hard times, to lessen the burden of the public as much as possible and not add thereto.

With reference to the question of censorship fees, I understand that the present rates charged are, to say the least of it, most exorbitant. As these fees are not entirely collected by the Government, but by private individuals, something should most certainly be done to check this legalized form of "profiteering."

If Theatres and Film Companies will only wake up and do something in the matter, perhaps then, and only then, may we expect "cheaper cinemas"—not otherwise.

Yours, etc.

FILM FAN.

Hong Kong, April 6, 1935.

LOCAL APPEAL ORDINANCE

Proposed Changes

A cheap, simple and direct method of appeal from a Magistrate's conviction or sentence, to a Judge of the Supreme Court, is proposed under the draft of an Ordinance to amend the Magistrates Ordinance of 1932.

It is laid down in the amendment Ordinance that any person aggrieved by any conviction of a magistrate in respect of any offence, who did not plead guilty or admit the truth of the information or complaint, may appeal from the conviction to a Judge of the Supreme Court; and that any person who after pleading guilty or admitting the truth of the information or complaint is convicted of any offence by a magistrate may appeal to a Judge in like manner against his sentence.

The powers and duties of a Judge with respect to such appeals shall be exercised and performed by such one of the Judges as the Chief Justice shall arrange.

The Procedure

In the case of any such appeal either party to the appeal may be heard in person, or by any barrister, advocate or solicitor, having the right of audience before any court in this Colony, except in the case of an appeal or any point in an appeal reserved for hearing or directed to be argued before the Full Court under paragraph (4), for which hearing or argument the practice of the Full Court shall apply without modification.

The Judge, if he thinks additional evidence to be necessary, may receive such evidence, and for that purpose shall have the like powers under paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of subsection (8) of section 78A of the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, 1899, that the Full Court would have had if the appeal had been an appeal to which that section applied, and the Judge may issue any process necessary for enforcing the exercise of such powers.

Stay Of Execution

Except in the case of whipping, which shall be stayed pending appeal, the appeal shall not operate as a stay of execution, but the magistrate or the Judge may stay execution or sentence pending the appeal on such terms as to security for the payment of any money or the suffering of any punishment ordered by or in such conviction or sentence as to the magistrate or Judge shall seem necessary. Provided that if the appellant is in prison, no such security shall be required, and on such stay as aforesaid the appeal

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

Sunday, March 31st

The following lunched at Fanning Lodge:

Mr. and Miss Deuchar, Miss Mackie, Commander T. A. Hussey, R.N. and Lieut. Cdr. J. S. Dallison, R.N.

Tuesday, April 2nd

His Excellency exchanged official calls with His Excellency Mr. Lin Yun Koi, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government who arrived from Canton to pay a semi-official farewell visit to His Excellency.

In the afternoon His Excellency accompanied by Lady Peel and attended by Mr. Plicher, was present at a meeting of the English Association at the Helena May Institute, His Excellency presiding.

The following were the guests at an official dinner at Government House in honour of His Excellency Mr. Lin Yun Koi:

His Excellency the General Officer Commanding and Mrs. O. C. Borrett, His Honour Mr. Justice A.D.A. and Mrs. MacGregor, Commodore and Mrs. F. Elliott, His Honour Mr. Liu Chi Wen, Mayor of Canton, Mr. H. Phillips, C.M.G., O.B.E., Hon. Sir Thomas and Lady Southern, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E., Hon. Mr. N. L. and Mrs. Smith, Hon. Mr. Edwin and Mrs. Taylor, Hon. Mr. R. M. and Mrs. Henderson, Hon. Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, Hon. Sir William and Lady Shenton, Mrs. R. H. Ktewall, Hon. Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Tso, Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr. Li Luk Chau, Cdr. C. W. Leung, Sir Robert Ho Tung, LL.D., Mr. W. H. Bell, Mr. V. M. Grayburn, Mr. and Mrs. Ho Kam Tong, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, Dr. Lu Pak Shing, Mr. Chow Hok Tong, Paymaster Comdr. F. R. Porter, R.N., and Mrs. W. S. A. Clough-Taylor.

Wednesday, April 3rd

His Excellency the Governor received Mr. A. H. Forbes, Commissioner of Customs, Kowloon, prior to his transfer from the Colony.

Thursday, April 4th

Lady Sophie Scott arrived at Government House for breakfast leaving later in the morning.

His Excellency presided at a meeting of the Legislative Council in the afternoon.

Friday, April 5th

His Honour Mr. Justice Lindell and Mrs. L. C. F. Bellamy dined at Government House, after which His Excellency and Lady Peel, accompanied by their guests and attended by the personal staff, were the guests of His Honour Mr. Justice Lindell at the performance of "The Young Idea" by the Hong Kong Amateur Dramatic Club at the China Fleet Club Theatre.

Saturday, April 6th

His Excellency the Governor, attended by Mr. Plicher, presided at the annual dinner of the Oxford and Cambridge Society of Hong Kong.

Lady Peel, accompanied by Miss Readhead and attended by Captain Walter, was the guest of the Hon. Sir W. E. L. Shenton, the Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore, and Mr. Tang Shu Kin at dinner and afterwards at the Ball of the St. John Ambulance Association.

lant shall be treated, pending the determination of his appeal, in such manner as may be directed by the rules made under the Prisons Ordinance, 1932, for the case of persons awaiting trial.

The Judge may reserve the appeal, or any point in the appeal, for the consideration of the Full Court, or may direct the appeal, or point in the appeal, to be argued before the Full Court; and the Full Court shall have power to hear and determine any such appeal or point so reserved or so directed to be argued.

Judge's Discretion.

On any appeal the Judge may make such orders as to costs, as he may think fit, and may—

(1) where he allows the appeal, direct that there shall be included in any costs to be paid by the respondent to the appellant the costs properly incurred by the appellant in the proceedings before the magistrates, on such fixed sum as the Judge may consider reasonable in respect of the costs so incurred by him;

(2) in any case, in lieu of directing a taxation of costs, fix the sum to be paid by way of costs by either party to the appeal; and in fixing, for the purposes of this sub-section, the amount of any costs to be paid to a party to an appeal shall have regard to his means.

The payment of costs ordered by the Judge to be paid on any such appeal as aforesaid may be enforced as a civil debt recoverable on a magistrate's summons by the party to whom they are ordered to be paid, and shall not be enforced in any other manner.

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DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Fourth Extra Race Meeting to be held on SATURDAY, 9th and MONDAY, 10th APRIL, 1935 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building, The Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, the 11th APRIL, 1935.

By Order.

O. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. John Archibald Ritchie, A.R.I.B.A., has been admitted as a Partner in the Firm of Messrs. Palmer & Turner, as from the 1st day of April, 1935.

PALMER & TURNER.
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A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTIETH Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company (since its registration) will be held at the Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong on Tuesday, the 16th April, 1935, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st October, 1934.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Thursday, the 11th day of April to Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1935, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hong Kong, 3rd April, 1935.
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THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

THE Fifty-fourth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Thursday, 18th April, 1935, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 10th April to the 1st May inclusive.

By order of the Board,
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.
General Managers.
Hong Kong, 3rd April, 1935.
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NOTICE.

As from April 1st, 1935, five-cents second class fares will be introduced on Routes Nos. 1 & 5, and routes will be extended as follows:

Route No. 1—from Blake Pier to Eastern Street via Connaught Road, Central & West, calling at Yaumati Vehicular Ferry Pier.

Route No. 2—from Blake Pier to Yaumati Vehicular Ferry Pier via Connaught Road Central.

Route No. 3—from University to Blake Pier via Pokfulam Road, Queen's Road West and Central and Pedder Street. (Note: This will be a circular route of eight sections. The fare for the first five sections will be 10 cents and for the whole circular route 15 cents).

Route No. 4—from University to Blake Pier via Bonham Road, Caine Road, Garden Road, Queen's Road Central and Pedder Street.

(This will be route No. 3 taken in an opposite direction and fares same as on Route No. 3).

Route No. 7—from Eastern Street to Yaumati Vehicular Ferry Pier via Connaught Road West and Central.

MONTHLY TICKET HOLDERS please note that they will be entitled to travel on

- (1) Route No. 3A between Blake Pier and University;
- (2) Route No. 6 between Blake Pier and Lingnan School (Stubbs Road);
- (3) Route No. 7 between University and Yaumati Vehicular Ferry Pier, in addition to Routes Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

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ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE HONG KONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE is hereby given that the ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH ORDINARY MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, Queen's Building, Victoria, Hong Kong, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th April, 1935, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 4th April to the 10th April, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

H. DA LUZ,
Acting Secretary.
Hong Kong, 19th March, 1935.
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CLUB DE RECREIO

7th ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEETING

SUNDAY, 23rd APRIL, 1935.

OPEN RELAY RACE. Teams of 4 (2 of 220 yards and 2 of 440 yards). Race to be run at 4.00 p.m. Post-enteries from teams will be accepted.

FRED A. XAVIER,
Hon. Secretary.
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ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE, STANLEY.

THE Summer Term will begin on Thursday, April, 11th, when New Students, whether Boarders or Day-boys, should attend for examination at 9 a.m. Prospectuses may be obtained from Mr. Li Hoi Tung, Messrs. Banker & Co., Bank of China Building, or The Warden, St. Stephen's College, Stanley.
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DEATH

HARROON.—At the French Hospital on Sunday, April 7, 1935, Solomon Harroon, aged 33. Funeral takes place this evening at 5.30 p.m. at the Mohammedan Cemetery.

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The Daily Press

HONG KONG, APRIL 8, 1935.

JACK HOBBS

The cricket season at Home is about to open and already the different counties are making preparations for a season of good, clean sport. As usual there must be a number of "colts," all anxious to know whether they will be given a place among the first eleven players while the more experienced men are perhaps just as excited to "get into harness again." The usual staid calm of the veterans this season will be ruffled and small wonder too for the redoubtable Jack Hobbs has officially announced his retirement which means that there will be a gap in the cricket world which would be decidedly hard to fill, even taking it for granted that some rising star will come along eventually to take the place of the Surrey Idol. Though they were prepared for it, Jack Hobbs's retirement has come as a blow to the Surrey County Cricket Club—he informed the President and Committee of the Club in words dignified, yet, to lovers of Cricket, somehow most sad, that his game is done and that other and younger players must take it on. "Jack" has no desire to cling to the throne when so many, from varying distances, aspire to mount it. Others can be compared to Hobbs. Indeed there are some who are considered superior to Hobbs; this man, they say, was more sheerly brilliant; that, again, exceeded him in average or in aggregate for such a year, but Hobbs, alone of cricket-

ers in the last thirty years, has acquired in the mouths and minds of cricketers and Englishmen that indefinable reputation of greatness which, once or twice only in a generation, makes a myth of a man, while his story and his art are still current among us. For nearly three decades he has been as familiar to the Londoner as the Nelson monument, to the country parson as his most recalcitrant non-juror, and to the school-boy as the morning bell. In the words of P.G.H. Pender, many years captain of Surrey, Jack Hobbs is indeed "a 'cricketing' institution."

The reason why this cricketer is so deservedly popular does not only lie in the fact that he is magnificent as a batsman. He made his way up to the top rung of the ladder by the only sure way—a simplicity of greatness. Modest to almost a fault, he has overpowered showmen and though he is sparing of conversation he always commands attention in a company of talkers and wits, and though perhaps his very presence at the wickets commands the respect of even the greatest of bowlers, he has been known to confess to a slight nervousness before an innings on which great issues have hung, though thanks to his temperate habit and life he has always been able to exert from body, mind and faculty, the supremest arts of the batsman at the time, when they have most been needed. In the case of so great an artist, comparisons are, therefore, ludicrous and irrelevant.

The name of Jack Hobbs is enrolled among the few who will remain immortally great. When we and the little controversies around us are forgotten, Gentlemen, John Berry Hobbs!

CINEMA PRICES

During the past few days Hong Kong has been up in arms against the "High cost of entertainment," or in other words the prices charged at the local cinemas. On Saturday two letters appeared in the Daily Press, and both of the writers complained that it was unreasonable to impose such heavy charges for admission when the exchange is so favourable and more especially as the Economic Depression is still making its very unwelcome effects felt in the Colony. One of the correspondents put forth a plea on behalf of the Service men, who, he states, form a considerable portion of the "cinema fans," and who find it extremely hard to have to pay 55 cents for one show when, for want of something better to do, they are forced to go to about three or four different shows in the course of a week. That there is a lot in favour of this argument, few, we feel, will dispute, but what is even more important to our mind is that not only the Services but the Community at large, are the unfortunate victims of the theatres. We do not for a moment dispute the fact that the pictures offered at the local theatres are not what may be described as "first class entertainment." On the other hand we appreciate the fact that the best that are turned out by the Hollywood and Elstree studios are always available to the Hong Kong public, though, he it said, some of the pictures are rather late in arriving here. When one considers that the best pictures may be seen for 25 cents in America or a shilling at Home, the prices charged in Hong Kong appear all the more to be not only excessive but also unreasonable.

As a result of the hue and cry for a reduction in prices, we learn from a reliable source that some of our leading theatres have given the matter very serious thought and that reductions might shortly be effected. This will be all to the good for while not wanting to deprive the theatres of all their profits and consequently the shareholders of their dividends, we feel that the time has come when some reduction should be made. And as regards the poor shareholders, would not the saving in the money paid for admission more than compensate for the reduction in dividends?

FAREWELL "AT HOME" TO-DAY

At Cathedral Hall

A farewell "At Home" to the Dean and Mr. Mason, who are shortly leaving the Colony, will be held at St. John's Cathedral Hall from 4.30 this afternoon. All friends and well-wishers are cordially invited to be present at this function.

OBITUARY

Mr. Solomon Harroon

"A FIRST-CLASS JOURNALIST"

It is with the deepest regret that we have to record the death of Mr. Solomon Harroon which occurred at the French Hospital shortly before six o'clock last evening, following an attack of typhoid.

Mr. Harroon who held the position of senior reporter in the "Daily Press" was admitted to the Hospital on February 22, and though he was in a very serious condition then, he recovered sufficiently to give rise to the hope that he would pull through. It is understood, however, that complications set in. Despite the fact that he realised he had a stiff battle before him, Mr. Harroon showed great fortitude and the saddest feature of it all was that he had planned to take a prolonged holiday after he had left the hospital.

BRILLIANT SCHOOL RECORD

The deceased was educated at Queen's College and had a brilliant scholastic career, winning many scholarships in addition to many other prizes. He was a very keen sprinter a few years ago while he also took a great interest in swimming. Of recent years, however, he devoted most of his time to racing and his notes, under the name of "Morning Dew" commanded a very large following. He was a very familiar figure at the race course, and possessed of a pleasant personality, he was well liked and highly respected by a large circle of friends. For several years he was on the Committee of the Indian Recreation Club while at the time of his death he was vice-president of the Hong Kong Islamic Union.

EFFICIENT AND CAPABLE

After leaving school, Mr. Harroon joined the legal firm of Messrs. Lo and Lo in the capacity of a stenotypist, and after some time he left to join Messrs. Carroll Brothers, the well-known firm of sharebrokers. It was during his term of employment here that he made himself a familiar figure in the local sharemarket. Mr. Harroon then took up journalism as his profession, first joining the "South China Morning Post" and later, in April 1929, he entered the employment of the "Hong Kong Daily Press" with whom he had been ever since.

Mr. Harroon soon gained popularity with his new colleagues by whom he was considered to be an extremely efficient and capable man. Some two years ago he was made senior reporter and had always lived up to the confidence placed in him.

Regarded as one of the best shorthand writers in the local newspaper profession, Mr. Harroon leaves a place that would be extremely difficult to fill, and so high a value was placed on his capabilities, that apart from his newspaper work he had often been called upon by private firms and individuals to perform the most exacting stenographic duties.

The news of his death cast a gloom over a large circle of friends. Mr. Harroon, who was only 33 years of age, leaves a widow and five children for whom the deepest sympathy will be felt.

The funeral takes place at 5.30 p.m. to-day at the Mohammedan Cemetery.

FURTHER DOG BITE INCIDENTS

Four more cases of persons having been bitten by dogs were reported to the Police in the course of yesterday.

Mrs. Dudman, of No. 11, Hankow Road, Kowloon, second floor, reported that her dog had been sent to Ma Tau Kok for observation after it had bitten her son, William, aged 6, on the right leg on Friday, while playing in the house. The lad was sent to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Sandford, of No. 30, Hankow Road, was scratched by a dog belonging to Mrs. Starling of No. 2 Hankow Road, second floor, on April 3. The animal has been sent to Ma Tau Kok for observation, and Mrs. Sandford was treated at the Kowloon Hospital.

A dog belonging to Mr. J. Fraser, of No. 97, Waterloo Road, has been sent to Ma Tau Kok for observation after it had bitten Mr. John Cameron of No. 335, Prince Edward Road, yesterday morning. Mr. Cameron was visiting Mr. Fraser at the time.

Bitten by a dog belonging to Mr. Rosa Pereira, of No. 7, Tung Chung Building, Kowloon, on March 26, Lam Eze, an amiah has been taken

If Gossip We Must

(By "PRUDENCE")



The Third Extra Race Meeting may have been dull as far as the weather was concerned, but it was anything but dull as regards dividends, and I know quite a number of people who went home with that wonderful "Dollar Princess" feeling. Mrs. Tam Pierce looked as if she found life most amusing, when she led in "Wadebridge" after that surprise win. I noticed Mrs. J. H. Morris, just after the "Valley View" win and am pretty sure she had got it (she has a real flair for spotting unexpected winners.) Mrs. L. C. F. Bellamy too, was smiling, as she led in Leo Frost on "King's Parade"; she, by the way, has been acting as Hostess for the bride of the week (now Mrs. W. H. Bell) whom I noticed looking very charming in a slender coat of brown worn with a blouse of palest strawberry pink. Another pretty person was Mrs. Felix Joseph, in a most beguiling suit of pale blue Otterburn-tweed.

Mrs. Anderson was graceful in navy-blue, and Mrs. Penn wore



navy and a flame-coloured hat. I loved Mrs. Stanton's hat of scarlet straw and her coat with the fur sleeves, and saw Mrs. Bentley looking smart and trim in a severely cut suit of gray. Mrs. R. Young was fragile and pretty in a coat and skirt of brown. She is taking her two little boys home to school very soon and will be away for quite a time.

A POPULAR COLOUR

Brown was a very popular colour on Saturday. Mrs. Sheldon wore it, and I am sure that I glimpsed Mrs. Drage in the distance wearing a soft shade of cocoa. Mrs. Whyte-Smith was in nigger-brown. Mrs. Williams wore a note of bright

colour with her brown dress. Mrs. Sommerfelt was easy to look at in brown and orange; Miss Simmons was very sweet in a Russian blouse of chrome, worn over a brown skirt. Renee Toledano looked brilliantly pretty in copper, and another of "the Young Ideas" (Joan Mollison) wore herring-bone blue and a long blue coat.

Miss Readhead had a charming suit of light fawn, and Miss Burrow looked very pretty in a black coat and skirt, and a polo-bouise of primrose yellow, and came with her fiancé Mr. Lascelles. Honor Hancock looked very tall in dark blue, and Lois Fearon was definitely "high-hat" (and wore that Russian fez with great effect). Sylvia Morris looked quite adorable in bright cerise from top to toe, and her sister was very charming in brown and biscuit, and a hat clipped with little gold studs. I overheard someone say that Eileen Stubbings has got married while away on leave and that she won't be coming back. She will be missed a lot by all the other "Young Ideas".

STREAMLINE COSTUME

Mrs. Taggart looked sweet in a long white coat; Mrs. Hooper was very smart in a dress of flowered blue silk. Mrs. Tratman looked charming too, and Mrs. Greaves wore a long black coat over her cream dress. Mrs. Hamilton was very smart in black with a fascinating collar-effect or spotted white. Mrs. Cassidy looked delightful in a streamline costume of dark blue, and Mrs. Peter Gris; was wistful in emerald green. Did I see Mrs. Benny Proulx all in black? And will someone tell me the name of that lovely girl who wore red, white and blue?

"YOUNG IDEAS"

It certainly is refreshing to meet young people with enough energy and enterprise to strike out a line of their own and carry it through successfully. Pamela Scott, Harston and her partner Beryl Fair shewed real originality when they opened the Peak Riding School for kiddies, but it filled a long-felt want and became a flourishing concern in less time than it takes to tell about it!

Now the fog-season is in full swing on the Peak, and so the School has moved down to Summer quarters, and is very happily situated in the grounds of the Old Jardine No. 2 Bungalow. Quite an ideal place, since the Shaukiwan bus stop at the gate; also it is near the sea, and the grounds have so many shady trees, that it should be cool there all through the hot weather. Pamela is just going away on leave, so the gap has been filled by Beryl Fair's sister, Betty. Both sisters are most accomplished young horse-women and well-known riders at Kwant and Macao Races where they have registered many successes. They have their small pony "Frolic" for the tiny pupils, as well as three bigger ponies, and can now take pupils up to fourteen or fifteen years of age. As the School is quite near the "Valley" the more advanced pupils have the fun and experience of going for a gallop on the race-course, and do they get a thrill out of that...I'll say they do!



LOVE BIRDS.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The fortnightly whist drive of the Craigenower Cricket Club took place on Saturday in the Club room. The winners were: (ladies) Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Kidgell; (gentlemen) Mr. Harper and Mr. Eriquiry. Mr. H. Beer was in charge of the function.

An election of a Justice of the Peace to serve in place of Mr. J. L. McPherson on the Licensing Board is to be taken place at the Supreme Court on April 16.

One case of diphtheria and one of enteric fever were reported for the 24 hours ended on April 5.

Considerable commotion was caused at Blake Pier on Saturday night about 10.15 p.m. when motor vehicle No. 16 of the Star Taxi Co. accidentally slipped its brakes and plunged into the harbour. Fortunately nobody was in the car at the time and yesterday morning it was lifted out. The car was parked opposite the General Post Office in Connaught Road Central.

At the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board to-morrow, two letters from the Government, one relative to the appointment of Mr. M. K. Lo to be a member of the Sanitary Board for a further term of three years, and the others signifying the approval of the Legislative Council to the amendment of the following by-laws: (a) Offensive Trade, and (b) Scavenging and Conservancy, will be read.

A lecture entitled "Celestial Bodies" will be delivered by Prof. F. A. Redmond, B.Sc., D.I.C., F.R.S., of the H.K.U. Engineering Society on Friday, April 12, at 8.30 p.m. in Room "K" of the Hong Kong University. The lecture will be illustrated with slides. All interested are welcome.

Mrs. Fung Hong Oon, a young and pretty Chinese girl, holds the distinction of being the first woman barrister to be admitted to the Bar of the Federated Malay States. In admitting the application, the Chief Justice, Sir Samuel Joyce Thomas, warmly congratulated Mrs. Oon and wished her success in her career.

The annual meeting of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce will be held on April 17, when 10 supervisors will be elected to manage the general election of officials for the ensuing two years.

The annual meeting of the Hong Kong Ministering League will be held at the Kowloon Hospital for treatment. The animal is now at Ma Tau Kok under observation.

NEWS SUMMARY

Favourites had an off day at the Third Extra Race Meeting on Saturday with the result that the dividends were high. The Daily Double realised \$1,190.20. Page 10.

The 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Scout troop was presented with the King's Colours and the Blanche-Borrett Axe Trophy by Mrs. O. C. Borrett at Flagstaff House on Saturday. Page 4.

Mr. Johnny Heard, the well-known jockey was entertained at a dinner by his riding colleagues at the Hong Kong Jockey Club on Saturday night, the occasion being to bid "adieu" to him on his forthcoming departure for Home on retirement. Page 6.

The death occurred at the French Hospital last evening of Mr. Solomon Harroon, senior reporter of the "Daily Press" and a highly respected member of the Indian Community. Page 8.

St. John Ambulance Association and Brigade held their annual dance at the Hong Kong Hotel on Saturday night when a large gathering, including Lady Peel who was accompanied by Capt. R. F. Walter, A.D.C. attended. Page 7.

The controversy regarding cinema prices continues. A further letter on this subject appears on Page 7.

The annual "Boat Race Dinner" was held at the Gloucester Restaurant on Saturday night when His Excellency the Governor presided over a large gathering. Page 2.

U. S. MINISTER TO CANADA

Death Of Mr. Robbins

New York, April 7.
The death has occurred of Mr. Warren Delano Robbins, United States Minister to Canada. Reuter.

NO DANGER OF ARMED CONFLICT

Conclusions Reached By Mr. Anthony Eden

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")
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London, April 6. That the danger of an armed conflict in Europe is less immediate than generally assumed although the international situation is unsatisfactory is stated by the "Daily Telegraph's" diplomatic correspondent to be the conclusion which the Lord Privy Seal, Mr. Anthony Eden reached as the result of his journey.

The correspondent writes that Mr. Eden is convinced that it is possible to overcome Poland's opposition to the collective system of security and that the Lord Privy Seal had gained an impression in Berlin that it is by no means certain that Germany would always persist in her present attitude.

Mr. Eden, according to the correspondent, is also convinced that none of the countries he visited is entertaining any aggressive intentions and all of them earnestly desire the organisation of peace, an aim which England can assist Europe to attain. The correspondent states that France and Italy will come to Stresa with definite proposals and that, Signor Mussolini will demand a clearer definition of Article XVI of the League Covenant under the terms of which League members are obliged to take economic and, if necessary, military sanctions against an aggressor.

The Rome correspondent of the same paper reports that Signor Mussolini will propose that Austria, Bulgaria and Hungary be released from their adherence to the military clauses of the peace treaties in order to "neutralise the German peril" by rearming those countries.

MR. EDEN'S REPORT TO CABINET

Decisions For British Government

London, April 7. The British Government must now decide whether the next step in Europe will be an attempt to negotiate a general security system, Britain being a party to sanction on the analogy of the Saar International Force, or whether Europe should be left to her own resources of regional pacts, alliances or combinations, says the "Observer's" diplomatic correspondent.

The gist of the report which Mr. Eden will make to the Cabinet tomorrow is understood to be that Russia, Poland, the Little Entente and France are prepared

to accept the proposal for a collective system of security based on military mutual assistance. There is ground for belief that Italy is to be included in that category. Germany refuses both the Eastern and Danubian pacts as they stand, but declares her willingness to extend the principles of bilateral non-aggression pacts into a multilateral pact provided the commitment is merely an undertaking not to assist an aggressor. The general view in all the capitals canvassed after Sir John Simon's visit to Berlin is that the German contribution does not go even so far as the League Covenant.

WEEK-END REVIEW

London, April 6. Mr. Eden will review the result of his tour during the week-end and report on Monday to the full meeting of the Cabinet which will then be in a position to decide the British course at the Stresa conference.

Conversations are proceeding in London between representatives of the Governments concerned in regard to the agenda. It is almost certain that the talk at Stresa will begin with the British report on the result of the visits to European capitals.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has not yet decided whether to go. The names of the British representatives will be announced in the House of Commons on Monday.

FRENCH PROGRAMME

Paris, April 7. The decision on the French programme for the Stresa conference has been postponed until Tuesday in order that Mr. Eden's report on his round trip to the European capitals and the conclusions arising out of the British cabinet discussion on it may be considered at a meeting of the French cabinet on Tuesday together with the new report which M. Laval is now preparing. M. Laval leaves for Stresa on Wednesday.

SOVIET ACTIVITY

Moscow, April 6. The extraordinary diplomatic activity displayed by Soviet Russia is evidenced by the fact that an unusually large number of Soviet envoys are arriving here to report on the international situation and to receive fresh instructions. The Soviet Ambassador in Paris, Potemkin as well as the Soviet Ministers in Bucharest and Prague are due here on Sunday while the Soviet Ambassador in China, Bogomoloff, the newly appointed Minister in Teheran, Pastukhoff and other Soviet diplomats are already here for consultations with the Commissariat for Foreign Affairs.

SOVIET DELEGATION AT PRAGUE

Military Aviation Study

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Prague, April 7. The Soviet Russian military aviation delegation led by General Lavrof arrived here and inspected the military airplane factory at Lainov and also the airplane motor works at Walter. The Russian armmen paid official calls on the Czechoslovakian defence minister, the chief of the general staff, and the general inspector of the army. During their ten days' visit the Russians will inspect all institutions in Czechoslovakia connected with aviation.

DR. BENES INVITED BY MOSCOW

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)
Moscow, April 5. M. Litvinoff issued an invitation to Benes on Friday to visit Moscow, according to a report in the semi-official Izvestia, which claims authority in stating that the Czech Foreign Minister has accepted the invitation.

GRAF ZEPPELIN LEAVES FOR S. AMERICA

Indian Apes On Board

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Friedrichshafen, Apr. 6. The airship Graf Zeppelin started her first South American trip of the season 1935 on Saturday with Captain von Schiller in charge. There were sixteen passengers on board, four booked for Pernambuco and twelve for Rio de Janeiro. Among the passengers were Dr. Edmund Stinnes, the industrialist, Baron von Tschoder, the Hamburg banker, Jungmann, the well-known clock manufacturer of Schramberg in the Black Forest.

The airship also carried 120 kilograms of mail, 695 kilos of cargo of which 50 kilos consisted of a number of Indian apes for the science institute in Rio de Janeiro. The weather was very rainy when the Graf Zeppelin left.

INDIAN DUTY ON RICE FROM SIAM

New Delhi, April 6. The Indian Assembly has imposed an import duty of twelve annas per maund on broken rice to meet Siamese competition in South India.

FINANCE BILL IN INDIA

Rejected By The Assembly

New Delhi, April 6. Despite a grave warning which the Viceroy sent to the Legislature Assembly, it rejected the Finance Bill by 64 votes to 41.

The Viceroy had pointed out that the revenue suffered a loss of £3,750,000 if the series of anti-Government amendments were adopted, and the finance member, Sir James Grigg to-day said that some amendments were absolutely impracticable.

The Congress Party leader, Bhulaphal Desai, warned the Government against flouting the decision of elected members. The leaders of the European group and Independents declared neutrality as a protest against non-acceptance of a single amendment.

Sir James Grigg drew attention to the fact that the Congress Party systematically tried to carry out their policies of forcing the Government to exercise its emergency powers. The Government were prepared to consider their views as fully as possible if the opposition were inclined to co-operate in the interests of the people.

As a result of the Assembly vote, the Bill will be certified by the Viceroy and placed before the Council of State on April 9 where it is expected to be passed.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, April 8. London Silver prices to-day were up 1/8 on Spot and 1/16 on forward, as follows—

	Apr. 5.	Apr. 6.
Spot	28-5/16	28-7/16
Forward	28-7/16	28-1/2

London on New York cross rate at closing to-day was 4.8487 compared with 4.8537 at closing yesterday.

EXPLOSION IN BOMBAY

Fireworks Factory Tragedy

Bombay, April 7. Sixteen persons were killed in a terrible explosion at a fireworks factory in the outskirts of Bombay. A large quantity of fireworks destined for the King's Jubilee celebration blew up in the explosion which precipitated a landslide on a nearby hillside. The landslide wiped out a small village occupied by potters, many of whom and their families were injured.

FAMOUS DUTCH PILOT AMONG KILLED

Air-Liner Crashes In A Forest

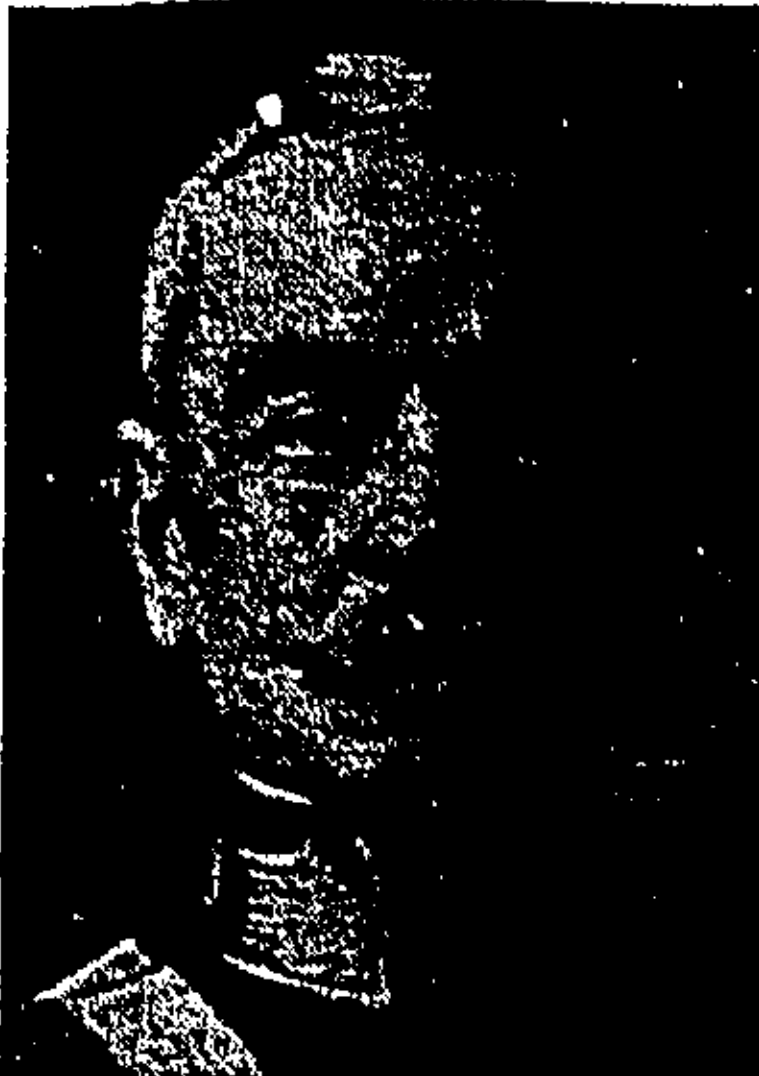
Amsterdam, Apr. 6. Mr. Soer, the famous Dutch pilot who made a record flight from Amsterdam to Batavia last December and Mr. de Vlugt, son of the Burgomaster of Amsterdam, were among six persons killed in a crash this afternoon of the Royal Dutch passenger airliner in a forest near Cassel on the new Prague-Amsterdam route.

DANZIG ELECTIONS

Geneva, April 6. League circles expect that at least eighty per cent of the electorate of Danzig will vote Nazi. It is pretty certain that the Senate will consequently endeavour to recast the constitution in an undemocratic sense, but it cannot do so without consent of the League Council which is most unlikely to be given. Well-informed opinion here holds that, in that event, Germany is not prepared to confront the League with a fait accompli.

PRESIDENT OF PORTUGAL

Conferred Rank Of Marshal



Lisbon, April 7.—The rank of Marshal was conferred on the State President, Carmona by the Portuguese National Assembly. Carmona is the second Marshal created in Portugal during the past 70 years.—Transocean Kuo Min.

FORMER POLISH PREMIER

Demand For His Extradition

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Warsaw, April 5. The meteoric career of the one-time national hero and Polish Premier, Korfanty has now reached its anti-climax in the demand for his extradition by the public prosecutor at the court of appeal at Katowice, the capital of the semi-autonomous region in Upper Silesia. The Senate will probably agree to this request since the Upper Silesian Parliament which is already closed will be formally dissolved shortly when Korfanty's immunity as a deputy will come to an end.

Korfanty will have to stand trial on charges of embezzlement and other crimes of a non-political nature since his opponent wishes to avail the ex-Premier's adherents, setting him up as a victim of political intrigue. Korfanty took a prominent part in advocating the separation of Upper Silesia from the Reich at the time of the Plebiscite and rapidly attained position, honour and dignity in the young Republic culminating with the Premiership in 1922 and 1923 but with the growing strength of the Pilsudski movement, his influence began to wane and the end of his political career coincides with that of the Upper Silesian autonomy.

TERM OF CONSCRIPTS EXTENDED

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Paris, April 6. The Supreme War Council's recommendation to retain those recruits who finish their term of service on April 13 under colours for a further period was approved at Saturday's meeting of the French cabinet which fixed the latest date of their dismissal for July 14.

The contingent in question, states an official communiqué, comprises of 60,000 men who will be dismissed when the training of this month's recruits is sufficiently advanced, but in no case later than July 14.

MACEDONIA REBEL LEADER SHOT

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)
Athens, Apr. 5. The death sentence pronounced on Thursday by the court martial at Salonika on Commandant Volanis, leader of the rebels in Macedonia was carried out on Friday morning when Volanis was shot.

DEATH OF ACTRESS

London, Apr. 6. The death is announced of the actress Winifred Barnes, who was leading lady in many famous wartime musical comedies.

AMERICAN POET PASSES

Mr. Edwin Arlington Robinson

New York, Apr. 6. The death occurred to-day of the poet, Mr. Edwin Arlington Robinson at the age of 65.

Mr. Robinson, who was born at Head Tide, Maine, received his education at Harvard College. His poetical works include Collected Poems, 1921; Roman Bartholow, 1923; The Man who Died Twice, 1924; Dionysius in Doubt, 1925; Tristram, 1927; Sonnets, 1928; Cavender's House, 1929; Collected Poems (new edition) 1929; The Glory of the Nightingales, 1930; Matthias at the Door, 1931; Nicodemus, 1932; Tallier, 1933.

EMPLOYEES IN PORTUGAL

Hard Choice Under New Laws

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London, April 7. Secret societies, including Freemasons, form the subject of new legislation just promulgated by the Portuguese national assembly. All persons belonging to the army, the civil service as well as employees of private firms, accustomed to execute orders for the government are now required to inform the police authorities whether they are members of a secret society, Freemasonry lodge or similar institution. Those who reply in the affirmative must then choose whether they will cease to belong to a secret society or to resign their positions.

Moreover, in future meetings of secret societies must be held in public. Representatives of the Government have the right at any moment to inspect the books of accounts, minutes of the meetings and correspondence.

MILITARY EVOLUTIONS IN AUSTRIA

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

Vienna, April 7. Those who belonged to the old Imperial Austro-Hungarian army either in a professional or military capacity or who served under compulsory national defence scheme, providing they held no higher rank than captain, are permitted—according to an official announcement by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Defence—to take part in the military evolutions of Austrian defence forces between May 13 and September 15. This permission is granted, says the official communication, in response to the wishes expressed again and again by members of the old army. Participation will take place only at the wish and cost of the applicant and will be limited to a period of four weeks at a time. Horse, motor cycle and motor car may be brought but at the participant's own cost.

PREMIER TSALDARIS INDISPOSED

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Athens, April 5. Owing to a sudden attack of illness, Premier Tsaldaris was obliged to leave his duties which have been assumed for the time being by Kondyllis. The ex-Foreign Minister, Maximos will represent Greece at the extraordinary session of the League of Nations Council on April 15.

MORE TROOPS FOR AFRICA

Rome, Apr. 5. The shipment of troops to Italian East Africa continues, the overseas steamer "Eslancano" having started from Messina with part of the Florentine division, Gayinans while a large Italian passenger boat "Abbaria" is loading troops and material at Naples.

CURRENCY PROBLEM IN EUROPE

Speculators' Attempts Cause More Anxiety

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Paris, April 6. Attempts on the part of speculators to drive the Dutch guilder off the gold standard are causing considerable anxiety since, after the collapse of the Belg, the gold bloc cannot afford to suffer any loss of prestige. When the bourse here opened on Saturday the guilder was quoted between 1,005 and 1,010, that is about 2 per cent below parity and 1 per cent under gold point. Bear attacks were considerably more severe than in 1933. At that time the Bank of Holland was able to rescue the currency by paring quickly and courageously with 300 million guildens worth of gold. In the past week the Bank of Holland gave up altogether 50 millions, but the opinion here is that under the present turbulent conditions this is inadequate.

The bulletin "Quotidien" criticises the Nederlandsche Bank sharply for insisting on making gold payments in coins instead of ingots, inscribing this as "childish procedure." The Paris "Midi" complains that "the guilder is not being defended by the note backing as if it were real gold currency."

Uneasiness, moreover, arose through a misunderstanding on Saturday which led to the rumour that gold payments were stopped altogether whereas it turned out that gold was only being paid up to midday. These steps were clearly taken to discourage those who are withdrawing gold from the bank for hoarding purposes. One curious result of the fierce attacks on the Dutch guilder is the improved position of the Swiss franc, which was causing anxiety early in the week but is now profiting by the flight from the guilder and steady at a lower gold point.

OUTFLOW OF GOLD

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London, April 7. Gold bars worth more than three million pounds sterling arrived in Croydon by airplanes from Holland during Friday and Saturday. City circles estimate

Holland's total gold loss last week at 7 to 8 million pounds sterling. Gold worth about half a million sterling also arrived from France.

FRANCO-BELGIAN TRADE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Brussels, Apr. 6. The mission to Brussels of the French Minister of Commerce, Marchandau, with the object of discussing the possible effects of the devaluation of the Belg on Franco-Belgian trade has been brought to a successful conclusion by the drafting of an agreement under which Belgium undertakes to keep the prices of goods destined for exportation to French markets at the level prices prevailing in the world markets while France renounces her plan of imposing a special exchange surtax on Belgian goods.

News of the agreement was received with relief by the Belgian political and economic circles where it had been feared that the protective measures which France had threatened to take would largely counteract any economic benefits to be derived from the devaluation.

RATIFIED BY CABINETS

Paris, Apr. 6.

The French Cabinet during a meeting on Saturday ratified the Franco-Belgian economic agreement drawn up on Friday in Brussels between the Minister of Commerce, Marchandau and Premier van Zeeland, while it was also ratified by the Belgian Cabinet at a meeting held the same day.

NOULENS SUFFERING FROM TYPHUS

Life Sentence Prisoner In China

Nanking, Apr. 6. Paul Ruegg (Noulens) who is serving a life sentence in Kiangsu prison was conveyed to the Central Hospital last Thursday suffering from typhus according to a statement issued by the Ministry of Justice.

INFLUENZA

THERE is a lot of common colds and influenza about and it may possibly become a serious menace.

Build up your powers of resistance with 'Ovaltine'.

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A DAY OF BIG DIVIDENDS

AUSTRALIAN BOY SHOWS THE WAY

DAILY DOUBLE PAYS \$1,190.20

With the exception of one event, the favourites had an off-day at the Third Extra Race Meeting on Saturday with the result that the dividends were high. Australian Boy paid its backers \$375.50 when it won the Canterbury Park Handicap, while Wadebridge returned the second biggest dividend of the day—\$258.10—on winning the Sub-Griffin Spring Handicap.

That the meeting was one of upsets can be gauged by the fact that the Daily Double (Wadebridge and Valley View) paid \$1,190.20!

CHARTERS TOWERS HANDICAP

A good start featured this race in which eight "B" Class Australian ponies took part. Shooting Star was the favourite and took the lead at the beginning but it only came in third at the finish. Goldsmith and St. Joan were running strongly, although the latter was four lengths behind the leader. Shooting Star, for three quarters of the distance, on the straight home, Shooting Star and Goldsmith were seen running neck to neck in the lead. About 500 yards from home, Goldsmith broke away but at the same time St. Joan was also coming up. A keen struggle then ensued and Goldsmith eventually won by a short head with the same distance separating St. Joan and Shooting Star. Mutiny Bay was fourth.

MOUNT DAVIS HANDICAP

An upset was registered in this race, Pontiac Bay, with Mr. Frost up, the hot favourite being beaten out of a place. Eighteen ponies faced the starter in this race which was won by Jungle Jim with Valorous second and Monoplane third. The Tiger led from the start but the lead was very slight, six or seven ponies being almost behind. At the Black Rock, High Honour and Valorous were seen struggling for the lead and this remained till about 500 yards from home when Jungle Jim, splendidly mounted by Mr. S. Y. Liang came up somewhat unexpectedly to take the lead which he maintained till the finish. Valorous was second, two lengths behind. Meanwhile Monoplane had also come up but was just beaten for second place by half a length. Valorous paid the comparatively good dividend of \$60.30 for a place.

CANTERBURY PARK HANDICAP

One of the biggest upsets of the season was provided in this event when Mr. W. H. S. Davis brought in his own pony Australian Boy to pay its 20 supporters \$375.50 each for a win and \$37.20 each to 39 backers for a place. Got That with Mr. Frost up, was the hot favourite but it only just managed to come in third. Mount Pilatus, with Mr. Black up, took the lead from the start, followed closely by Bobbiak Star and Derby Day. At the last corner, Saucy Face came up to take the lead, but was soon passed by Australian Boy which was coming up strongly. Got That then made a valiant effort to catch up but the distance proved too great.

SUB-GRIFFIN SPRING HANDICAP

Yet another big upset was registered in this race, Wadebridge winning from a field of 14 starters which included Invermark, Bistre, Seventeenth of September and Racing Boy, to return the second biggest dividend of the day—\$258.10. Bistre finished four lengths behind the winner, while Tiny Star was third two lengths behind. Tiny Star led from the start, followed closely by Invermark and Bistre. At the Black Rock, Tiny Star and Invermark slackened and as a result were caught up by Bistre and Wadebridge. When the last quarter was reached, there was a good race between the last two ponies, Wadebridge eventually winning.

TAL-MO-SHAN HANDICAP

This race which was confined to "P" class China ponies was won by Philanderer (Mr. Deltz) from a field of ten starters. Solar Star was the hot favourite but it finished nowhere. A very poor start featured this race, Boxing Eve, although it had the best position, was left at the start while others were many lengths behind the leaders. Belmont Star had a flying start followed closely by Philanderer and this position remained until 50 yards from the winning post when Mr. Deltz spurred his mount to win by two lengths. King's Parade was third, one and a half lengths behind Belmont Star.

THE "HUNCHBACKS" PLATE

Seventeen starters took part in this race, which was the second leg of the Daily Double and which was won by Valley View, with High

Principle second and Sci-Fa third. High Principle attempted a runaway from the start and very nearly succeeded, being passed by Valley View only 10 yards from home, after an exciting struggle. The dividend for the Daily Double (Wadebridge and Valley View) was \$1,190.20.

MOUNT PARKER HANDICAP

King's Justice won this race by a length from Cossack's Beauty after a keen struggle. There were only four starters, and King's Justice led from the commencement followed respectively by Soldier of Britain, Cossack's Beauty and Sacko, a rather big distance separating each of them. At the Black Rock, Soldier of Britain crept up to take the lead together with King's Justice. On the straight home, Cossack's Beauty came up strongly and after passing Soldier of Britain endeavoured to catch up King's Justice, but the latter had something in reserve and gave a spurt just when it was about to be passed. Soldier of Britain was third.

HIGH WEST HANDICAP

This event provided the first instance, during the meeting, of a favourite coming home first, Oak Bay with Mr. Frost up winning from Rose-Queen by a length. There were seven starters and at the commencement of King's Fancy and King's Bounty were seen in the lead. Oak Bay was following behind strongly and at the last corner it flashed past the two leaders. Meanwhile, Rose Queen which was lying fifth also came up and though beaten by a length, gave Oak Bay a run for its money. Macearoni had also come up by this time and finished third, two lengths behind.

MOUNT GOUGH PLATE

This race, the last event on the programme was won by Soldier of Victory from a field of 18 starters. Vithan was just beaten for first place by a head, while Soldier of Peace was third and Flybynight fourth.

The Results

1.—Charters Towers Handicap—"B" Class (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Why's Goldsmith, 154 lbs.

(Mr. N. Deltz) 1

Mrs. D. J. Lewis's St. Joan, 148 lbs.

(Mr. D. Black) 2

Mr. S. L. Ko's Shooting Star, 158 lbs.

(Mr. Butler) 3

Won by short head, the same between second and third.

Time: 25.4, 51.4, 1.20.3.

Parl-mutuel:—

Win: \$14.70.

Place: \$6.90, \$18.50, \$6.60.

Also ran:—High Finance 154 (Mr. A. W. Rozal), Mutiny Bay 142 (Mr. W. H. S. Davis), Racing Lass 139 (Mr. H. C. Pih), Nixen Tor 142 (Mr. C. R. Cheape), Woodland Stag 154 (Mr. L. G. Frost).

Betting

1st Pony 296

2nd Pony 18

3rd Pony 304

The Field 373

Total 989

Total 1,119

2.—Mount Davis Handicap—"C" Class (1 Mile)

Mr. Lan's Jungle Jim, 161 lbs.

(Mr. S. Y. Liang) 1

Mr. Tally Ho's Valorous, 140 lbs.

(Mr. Pan) 2

Dr. Lee Shiu Kee's Monoplane, 155 lbs.

(Mr. X. T. Fung) 3

Won by 2 lengths, 4 lengths between second and third.

Time: 30.4, 1.01.1, 1.32.3, 2.03.4.

Parl-mutuel:—

Win: \$41.

Place: \$14.30, \$60.30, \$10.60.

Also ran:—Bright Star 150 (Mr. W. H. Choy), Don 153 (Mr. N. Deltz), Flirt 153 (Mr. D. L. Newbigging), Flying Tourist 140 (Mr. M. W. Tang), Foxbridge 140 (Mr. Butler), Gold Coin 148 (Mr. P. P. Botelho), High Honour 161 (Mr. F. U. de Rozal), Mayflower 158 (Mr. F. U. de Rozal), Mistake Bay 150 (Mr. Davis), Pontiac Bay 159 (Mr. Frost), Rousneau 150 (Mr. W. C. Poy), The Tiger 185 (Mr. Pih), Wayward Stag 153

Betting

1st Pony 296

2nd Pony 18

3rd Pony 304

The Field 373

Total 989

Total 1,119

3.—Canterbury Park Handicap—"A" Class (6 Furlongs)

Mr. W. H. S. Davis's Australian Boy, 140 lbs.

(Mr. Davis) 1

Mr. Pau's Saucy Face, 145 lbs.

(Mr. Pih) 2

Mr. Seth's Got That, 152 lbs.

(Mr. Frost) 3

Won by a neck, a length between second and third.

Time: 25.4, 51.3, 1.19.1.

Parl-mutuel:—

Win: \$37.20, \$9.80.

Place: \$37.20, \$9.80, \$8.30.

Also ran:—Bobbiak Star 155 (Mr. Butler), Derby Day 152 (Mr. G. U. da Rozal), Mount Pilatus 143 (Mr. D. Black), Night Star 150 (Mr. Pan), Racing Heart 150 (Mr. Deltz), Southern Cross 145 (Mr. P. P. Botelho).

Betting

1st Pony 296

2nd Pony 18

3rd Pony 304

The Field 373

Total 989

Total 1,119

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1st Pony 154

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3rd Pony 138

The Field 1,130

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3rd Pony 138

The Field 1,130

Total 1,437

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4.—Sub-Griffin Spring Handicap (1 Mile)

Mrs. Pearce's Wadebridge, 161 lbs.

(Mr. Butler) 1

Mr. Lee's Bistre, 166 lbs.

(Mr. Pan) 2

Mr. C.N.K.'s Tiny Star, 161 lbs.

(Mr. Pih) 3

Won by 4 lengths, 2 lengths between second and third.

Time: 30.3, 1.02.2, 1.34.2, 2.06.2.

Parl-mutuel:—

Win: \$258.10.

Place: \$47.60, \$15.20, \$23.

Also ran:—Cavalade, 162 (Mr. Davis), Copper Idol 140 (Mr. Taylor), Double Chance, 155 (Mr. Hariman), Invermark 155 (Mr. Rozal), Invincible Knight 152 (Mr. Fung), Partnership 149 (Mr. Liang), Racing Boy 157 (Mr. Deltz), 17th of September 182 (Mr. Frost), Soldier of Fortune 158 (A. A. R. Botelho), Warrington 149 (Mr. Neugebauer), Young Chap 159 (Mr. P. P. Botelho).

Betting

1st Pony 30

2nd Pony 238

3rd Pony 117

The Field 1,375

Total 1,760

Total 2,066

5.—Tal-Mo-Shan Handicap—"D" Class (6 Furlongs)

Mr. E. L. Hsieh's Philander, 150 lbs.

(Mr. Deltz) 1

Messrs. King Bros.' Belmont Star, 140 lbs.

(Mr. Frost) 2

Messrs. Bellamy & Gordon King's Parade, 140 lbs.

(Mr. Frost) 3

Won by 2 lengths, 14 lengths between second and third.

Time: 29.3, 59.1, 1.32.4.

Parl-mutuel:—

Win: \$50.

Place: \$16.50, \$12.90, \$17.50.

Also ran:—Boxing Eve 155 (Mr. Davis), Emergency Call 145 (Mr. M. W. Tang), Fudge 140 (Mr. Black), Great Hall 183 (Mr. G. U. Rozal), Iron Grey 158 (Mr. P. P. Botelho), Sarabande 140 (Mr. Y. T. Fung), Solar Star 154 (Mr. Pih).

Betting

1st Pony 159

2nd Pony 238

3rd Pony 131

The Field 1,281

Total 1,807

Total 1,853

6.—The "Hunchbacks" Plate (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Lan's Valley View, 145 lbs.

(Mr. W. H. Choy) 1

Mr. L.T.F.'s High Principle, 142 lbs.

(Mr. M. W. Tang) 2

Messrs. Lewis and Tinson's Sci-Fa, 145 lbs.

(Mr. H. A. Botelho) 3

Won by short head, 14 lengths between second and third.

Time: 30.3, 1.01.3, 1.35.2.

Parl-mutuel:—

Win: \$42.70.

Place: \$10.50, \$8.30, \$11.

Daily Double: \$1,190.20.

Also ran:—Blacksmith 148 (Mr. S. K. Lee), Bold Captain 148 (Mr. W. C. Poy), Bold Major 148 (Mr. W. C. Poy), Coppersmith 142 (Mr. H. W. Fung), Flamingo 145 (Mr. W. K. Yeung), Lion Hunter 142 (Mr. A. Johnson), Lion Hunter 142 (Mr. A. Johnson), Lockley Hall 145 (Mr. C. P. Ferguson), Matinee Idol 142 (Mr. C. R. Cheape), Matinee Idol 142 (Mr. C. R. Cheape), Strathnairn 142 (Mr. W. C. Choy), The Deemster 142 (Mr. A. Wall), The

Betting

1st Pony 181

2nd Pony 333

3rd Pony 197

The Field 612

Total 1,563

Total 1,578

7.—Mount Parker Handicap—"A" Class (1 Mile)

Mr. Dynasty's King's Justice, 149 lbs.

(Mr. Butler) 1

Mr. Lan's Cossack's Beauty, 161 lbs.

(Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2

Mr. Li Shiu Pang's Soldier of Britain, 165 lbs.

(Mr. Deltz) 3

Omedhuan 148 (Mr. C. Taylor), The Pike 148 (Mr. S. W. Yue), Winkfield 143 (Mr. R. M. Wood).

Betting

1st Pony 181

2nd Pony 333

3rd Pony 197

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LOCAL CRICKET

Gosano Scores Century

No League games were played in either division during the week-end, but three friendly encounters were decided. The Indian Recreation Club juniors entertained an eleven from Queen's College and won by 34 runs, while the match between the "Medicals" and "Engineers" of the Hong Kong University, was featured by the bright batting display of E. L. Gosano who scored 104 runs. The game ended in a draw.

At the Hong Kong Cricket Club ground, an inter-hong match was played between the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank and Messrs. Dodwell & Co., the game resulting in a victory for the Bank of 14 runs.

ENGINEERS v. MEDICALS

Battling first, the Medicals scored 132 runs for 3 wickets when they declared. The chief contributor to the score was E. L. Gosano who played a good innings for 104 runs.

When stumps were drawn the Engineers had scored 49 runs for 9 wickets. K. L. Ng and L. Oliveira had 14 and 12 respectively. Gosano had 2 victims at the cost of 4 runs while L. T. Ride took 4 for 14.

The scores were:—
Medicals: 132 for 3 dec. (E. L. Gosano, 104; B. L. Ng, 17; K. L. Ng, 1 for 47; K. T. Ng, 1 for 55).
Engineers: 49 for 9 (K. L. Ng, 14; L. Oliveira, 12; E. L. Gosano, 2 for 4; L. T. Ride, 4 for 14).

I.R.C. v. QUEEN'S

The Club team, who had first lease of the wickets, totalling 116 runs, to which, D.M. Khan and A.M. Rumjahn each contributed 27. A.R. Kitchell bowled extremely well to secure 5 wickets for 59 runs.

In reply, the school team was dismissed for 82 runs. M. Afzal played a stubborn innings for 30 runs, while A.R. Abbas made a rapid 23. No other batsmen reached double figures.

The scores were:—
I.R.C.—116 (D.K. Khan 27, A.M. Rumjahn 27, M.R. Abbas 13, A.K. Ismail 13, A.R. Kitchell 5 for 59, M. Cassim 1 for 6).
Q.C.—82 (M. Afzal 30, A.R. Abbas 23, Abbas 2 for 4, Ismail 3 for 6, A. Baker 2 for 3).

BANK v. DODWELLS

The Bank batted first and were all out for 109 runs. P.H. Scoones being top scorer with 39. G.A. Stewart made 22, while G.C. Moutrie had 15. F. S. W. Smith was the most successful bowler, taking 4 for 45. Bond and Dpdwell bowled well to secure 2 for 7, and 2 for 8 respectively.

Messrs. Dodwell & Co. were dismissed for 95 runs, only three of their batsmen reaching double figures—A.W. Hayward 14, F. S. W. Smith 29, and V. Bond 18.

D. S. Dunkley, the interport wicket-keeper took 4 wickets for 5 runs!

The scores were:—
Bank—109 (R.P. Edwards 11, G.A. Stewart 22, P.H. Scoones 39, G.C. Moutrie 15, F.S.W. Smith 4 for 45, R.R.T. Smith 2 for 24, Bond 2 for 7, Dodwell 2 for 8).

Dodwell & Co.—95 (A.W. Hayward 14, F.S.W. Smith 29, V. Bond 18, Rigg 2 for 21, Stewart 2 for 27, King 2 for 6, Dunkley 4 for 5).

I.R.C. BEAT CRAIGENGOWER

On their own ground yesterday, the Indian Recreation Club Second eleven defeated the Craigen-gower C.C. by 43 runs. The home team compiled the total of 138 to which A. R. Kitchell contributed 47. The Craigen-gower team replied with only 95. A. Baker capturing seven wickets for 30 runs. G. Lee was the highest scorer.

Omedhuan 148 (Mr. C. Taylor), The Pike 148 (Mr. S. W. Yue), Winkfield 143 (Mr. R. M. Wood).

Betting

1st Pony 181

2nd Pony 333

3rd Pony 197

The Field 612

Total 1,563

Total 1,578

7.—Mount Parker Handicap—"A" Class (1 Mile)

Mr. Dynasty's King's Justice, 149 lbs.

(Mr. Butler) 1

Mr. Lan's Cossack's Beauty, 161 lbs.

(Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2

Mr. Li Shiu Pang's Soldier of Britain, 165 lbs.

(Mr. Deltz) 3

Omedhuan 148 (Mr. C. Taylor), The Pike 148 (Mr. S. W. Yue), Winkfield 143 (Mr. R. M. Wood).

Betting

1st Pony 181

A Day Of Big Dividends

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Won by a length, 3 lengths between second third.
Time: 29.2, 57.3, 1.27.3, 2.00.2.
Parl-mutuel:—
Win: \$17.90.
Place: \$6.80, \$3.00.
Also ran:—Sadko 161 (Mr. Pih).

Betting	Win.	Place.
1st Pony	318	137
2nd Pony	220	75
3rd Pony	518	84
The Field	239	47
Total	1,295	343

8.—High West Handicap—“B” Class (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Dunbar's Oak Bay, 168 lbs. (Mr. Frost) 1
Mr. Eu Tong Sen's Rose Queen, 152 lbs. (Mr. P. F. Botelho) 2
Mr. Hem's Macaroni, 149 lbs. (Mr. Davis) 3

Won by a length, 2 lengths between second and third.
Time: 28.2, 56.4, 1.27.2.
Parl-mutuel:—
Win: \$10.60.

Place: \$6.50, \$3.30, \$7.50.
Also ran:—King's Bounty 153 (Mr. G. U. Roza), King's Fancy 161 (Mr. Butler), Soldier of Germany 161 (Mr. Deltz).

Betting	Win.	Place.
1st Pony	247	394
2nd Pony	189	181
3rd Pony	280	231
The Field	1,216	515
Total	1,811	1,321

9.—Mount Gough Plate (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Li Shu Pang's Soldier of Peace, 158 lbs. (Mr. Pih) 3
Mr. Grayburn's Ythan, 158 lbs. (Mr. Frost) 2

Won by a head, 2 lengths between second and third.
Time: 30, 1.00.4, 1.31.4.
Parl-mutuel:—
Win: \$36.90.

Place: \$7.80, \$6.40, \$10.50.
Also ran:—Arctic Star 158 (Mr. P. F. Li), Diogenes 161 (Mr. P. P. Botelho), Estover 161 (Mr. Black), Flybynight 161 (Mr. Neugebauer), Jolly byes 158 (Mr. K. W. Fung), Mersey 161 (Mr. Y. T. Fung), Night View 158 (Mr. S. Y. Liang), Pacific Hall 158 (Mr. G. U. Roza), Plain View 155 (Mr. W. H. Choy), Popular Star 155 (Mr. Butler), Royal Romance 161 (Mr. Harriman), Sylvandale 161 (Mr. E. V. Pearce), Tammany Hall 161 (Mr. M. W. Tang), Twenty Grand 158 (Mr. Davis), Voltaire 161 (Mr. W. C. Poy).

Betting	Win.	Place.
1st Pony	237	266
2nd Pony	949	558
3rd Pony	157	139
The Field	648	656
Total	1,991	1,619

Cash Sweeps

Race 1
No. 167 \$952.70
96 272.20
765 136.10
Nos. 1261, 1706, 1562, 1254, 702 get \$50 each.

Race 2
No. 1262 \$772.40
222 206.40
1731 103.20
Nos. 735, 1518, 321, 2315, 575, 55, 1368, 1041, 844, 903, 2085, 119, 364, 1339, 1354 get \$50 each.

Race 3
No. 1314 \$1,082.90
844 309.40
1,083 154.70
Nos. 2233, 1467, 361, 512, 232, 1215 get \$50 each.

Race 4
No. 1834 \$998.30
001 285.20
2021 142.60
Nos. 1028, 2458, 2299, 2124, 62, 784, 151, 1566, 2064, 192, 343 get \$50 each.

Race 5
No. 2448 \$1,194.20
617 341.20
2859 170.80
Nos. 1849, 1024, 1489, 361, 186, 2353, 2368 get \$50 each.

Race 6
No. 299 \$999.60
458 285.60
1794 142.80
Nos. 2417, 2780, 1414, 2320, 1051, 337, 418, 2439, 1273, 527, 1224, 743, 699, 1368 get \$50 each.

Race 7
No. 2376 \$1,454.80
1461 415.80
65 207.80
No. 753 gets \$50.

“AT HOME”

C.R.C. Hold Annual Function

An “At Home” was held by the Chinese Recreation Club on Saturday when a fairly large gathering was present to witness an exhibition mixed doubles tennis match prior to the distribution of trophies by Lady Southern, O.B.E. Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell President of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association was also present.

Before asking Lady Southern to present the prizes Mr. Ng Sze Kwong said that they were fortunate in having Lady Southern with them that day, adding that Lady Southern was a keen helper in the Children's Playground Association. He dwelt on the successes of the Club's tennis teams and congratulated Tsui Wai Pul on winning the Club's Singles Tennis Championship on three successive years, thus winning the Cup outright. The Club has taken up Badminton and had entered two teams in the league and Lawn Bowls would soon be one of the favourite pastimes of the members of the Club.

Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in a short speech referred to the excellent record of the C. R. C. in the Tennis League. He congratulated them on the very efficient manner in which they had organised the Open Mixed Doubles Championship, and also congratulated the winners, L. Goldman and Miss R. Hancock, adding that he was sorry that they were not present. On behalf of the guests, he thanked the Committee for their splendid hospitality, which was known all over the Colony.

Mr. Ng Sze-Kwong then called on Lady Southern to distribute the prizes, following which she was the recipient of a bouquet of flowers from little Miss Chiu Chun-chiu, daughter of the well-known lady player.

EXHIBITION TENNIS

Mrs. Kayll partnered by Mr. M. W. Lo beat Mrs. Chiu Chun Chiu and Mr. H. D. Rumjahn in an exhibition game by 9-7, 3-6, 7-5.

Both ladies indulged in some hard hitting, particularly Mrs. Kayll, who time and again came across the net to make a magnificent kill. Mrs. Chiu was inclined to return weakly to the net, thus affording Mrs. Kayll every opportunity to push to finish to some smart rallies.

H. D. Rumjahn was the steadiest of the men players. He made some remarkable recoveries and helped his partner along greatly. M. W. Lo was erratic at times but on the whole the four players gave a good exhibition.

The prize-winners for the past season were:—

C. R. C. TOURNAMENTS

Junior Championship:
Winner: Leung Wai-pok; Runner-up: Tam Man-ko.

Handicap Singles:—
Winner: Leung Bing-chiu; Runner-up: Ho Ka-lau.

Handicap Doubles:—
Winners: Liang Sai-wah and Cheung Wing-min. Runners-up: Lee Wai-tong and Au King.

Doubles Championship:—
Winners: Lee Wai-tong and Luk Ding-cheung. Runners-up: Ho Ka-lau and Yew Man-kit.

Singles Championship:—
Champion: Tsui Wai-pul; Runner-up: Ho Ka-lau.

HONG KONG LAWN TENNIS LEAGUE

“A” Division:—
Winners: Chinese Recreation Club (Ho Ka Lau, Captain).

“B” Division:—
Winners: Chinese Recreation Club (Lam Tok-ki, Captain).

“C” Division:—
Winners: South China Athletic Association.

Mixed Doubles League:—
Winners: United Services Recreation Club.

OPEN MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Winners: L. Goldman and Miss R. Hancock. Runners-up: H. D. Rumjahn and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu.

DIANA WYNYARD IN NURSING HOME

(Special Air Mail Service)
London, March 18.

Miss Diana Wynyard, star actress of “Sweet Aloes,” which has been running at Wyndham's Theatre, entered a West End nursing home yesterday to undergo an operation for appendicitis. The date of the operation has not yet been fixed.

“The film of this play” has been suspended for six weeks until she resumes her part.

MORE FOOTBALL SQUABBLES

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defence of their backs was mainly responsible for the defeat of the Club by four goals to two.

From the start the Reds attacked and following continual pressure was rewarded with a goal when, from a nice centre by Alves, Delgado converted.

Hill had a good chance to equalise when well placed but shot into Marques' outstretched hands. Play was confined to the Club's territory and Gomes seizing an opportunity from a rebound shot well out of Rodger's reach.

Some clever foot work was seen in the second half when Gomes and B. Gosano indulged in some nice short passing bouts and it was the latter who scored the third goal. Attacking Club was awarded a penalty and Ellor converted. Again, in a nice combination between B. Gosano and Gomes, the former scored. Towards the end another penalty against V. Marques was taken by Howe who made no mistake.

GUNNERS OUTPLAYED

As expected the Royal Artillery proved no match for the Fusiliers who ran out winners by the score of 3 goals to one. The game was contested very strongly in the initial stages with the advantage slightly in favour of the Fusiliers.

Following an attack on the Gunners' goal Dennis scored. R. A. return to the offensive but found the Fusiliers' defence masters of the situation. Dennis scored again and Brown replied for the Gunners. In the second half Grindley added to the score.

Kowloon offered little resistance to the Navy who won by four goals to one. As in their previous matches the weakness in Kowloon forward line was once more noticeable. Navy had a strong intermediate line, which showed up to great advantage.

Bliss played hard in Kowloon defence but received little support.

THE TENNIS TOURNEY

Semi-Finals This Week

Several semi-final encounters in the Open Lawn Tennis Championships will be decided in the course of this week, including the match between G.R.M. Ricketts v. Ho Ka Lau or Tsui Wai Pul, the holder.

The following is the programme:—

MONDAY

Open Singles—Fourth Round
Ho Ka Lau v. Tsui Wai Pul (holder)

TUESDAY

Open Singles—Fourth Round (Stand Court)
H. D. Rumjahn v. Paul Kong.

WEDNESDAY

Open Doubles—Fourth Round (Stand Court)
Lu Tak Lam and Lu Tak Cheuk v. Ho Ka Lau and W. C. Hung.

THURSDAY

Open Doubles—Semi-Final (Bottom Half)
H. D. Rumjahn and S. A. Rumjahn (holders) v. Paul Kong and Lee Wai Tong.

FRIDAY

Open Singles—Semi-Final (Bottom Half)
G. R. M. Ricketts v. winner of Ho Ka Lau v. Tsui Wai Pul.

Roberts, Cannell, Crawford and Skinner scored for the Navy while White replied for Kowloon.

TO-DAY'S MATCH

The Hong Kong Bank and Dodwell's are meeting in a friendly soccer match to-day on the Hong Kong Football Ground. Kick-off at 5 p.m.

Dodwell's team is as follows:—
M. A. Cairns; W. Wright, H. Mundy; E. W. Loveless, A. Howe, H. G. Williams; H. W. Brown, H. O. Bramble, A. C. I. Bowker, V. Bond and F. S. W. Smith.

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Buyers	Sellers	Share	Price	Buyers	Sellers	Share	Price
Banks							
\$1.265		H.K. Banks	\$1.275				
		Chartered Bank	\$1.24				
		Overland Bk.	\$1.21				
		Bank of East Asia	\$1.23				
		N. O. & S. Bank	\$1.25				
		Am. O. Bk. Corp.	\$1.26				
		Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	\$1.27				
		Do. Pref. S.	\$1.28				
Insurance							
		Canton Insurance	\$1.20				
		Underwriters	\$1.21				
		Union Insurance	\$1.22				
		China Fire	\$1.23				
		H.K. Fire	\$1.24				
		International Assn. S.	\$1.25				
Shipping							
		Douglas	\$1.26				
		Steamboats	\$1.27				
		Indus (prev)	\$1.28				
		Do. (dist)	\$1.29				
		Do. (dist)	\$1.30				
		Waterfront	\$1.31				
Mining							
		Antamok	\$1.32				
		Balato	\$1.33				
		Bagoite Gold	\$1.34				
		Beangat Consolidated	\$1.35				
		Do. Exploration	\$1.36				
		Do. Goldfield	\$1.37				
		Big Widge	\$1.38				
		Gold River	\$1.39				
		Gold Creek	\$1.40				
		United Paracels	\$1.41				
		Salacot Mining	\$1.42				
		Ipo Mining	\$1.43				
		Ilogona	\$1.44				
		Kailans	\$1.45				
		Langkai (single)	\$1.46				
		Explorations S.	\$1.47				
		Shanghai Loans S.	\$1.48				
		Shubs	\$1.49				
		Venezuela Gold Flds.	\$1.50				
Docks, Wharves, and Buildings							
		H.K. & K. Wharves	\$1.51				
		(Can. Rights)	\$1.52				
		Do. (Ex. Rights)	\$1.53				
		Do. (Rights)	\$1.54				
		Provident (old)	\$1.55				
		Do. (new)	\$1.56				
		H.K. & W. Docks	\$1.57				
		S. China Motors A.	\$1.58				
		Do. "B"	\$1.59				
		Shanghai Docks S.	\$1.60				
		New Engineering S.	\$1.61				
		Hongkew S.	\$1.62				
		Lands, Hotels, and	\$1.63				
		Buildings	\$1.64				
		H.K. Hotels	\$1.65				
		H.K. Lands	\$1.66				
		Do. 4% Debentures	\$1.67				
		Shanghai Lands S.	\$1.68				
		Metropolitan Lands	\$1.69				
		H.K. Realities	\$1.70				
		China Do	\$1.71				
		Do. Debentures S.	\$1.72				
		Humphreys	\$1.73				
		New Asia Hotel	\$1.74				
		Asia Realities "A" S.	\$1.75				
		Do. "B" S.	\$1.76				
		Chinese Estates	\$1.77				
		Cotton Mills	\$1.78				
		Ewos	\$1.79				
		S'hai Cotton (old) S.	\$1.80				
		Do. (new) S.	\$1.81				
		Zong Sing	\$1.82				
		Wing On (old) S.	\$1.83				
		Public Utilities	\$1.84				
		Tramways	\$1.85				
		Public Works	\$1.86				
		Do. (new)	\$1.87				
		Star Ferries	\$1.88				
		Yamnat Ferries	\$1.89				
		China Lights	\$1.90				
		H.K. Electric	\$1.91				
		Macao do	\$1.92				
		Sandakan Lights	\$1.93				
		Telephones (old)	\$1.94				
		Do. (new)	\$1.95				
		China Buses	\$1.96				
		Tramways	\$1.97				
		Do. (new)	\$1.98				
		Industrial	\$1.99				
		Malabon Sugars	\$2.00				
		Calabock, (old) S.	\$2.01				
		Maagregors (prev) S.	\$2.02				
		Canton Lusa	\$2.03				
		Gumbert	\$2.04				
		Ropes	\$2.05				
		Miscellaneous	\$2.06				
		Dairy Farms	\$2.07				
		Amusements	\$2.08				
		Ch. Etampments	\$2.09				
		Construction (old)	\$2.10				
		Do. (new)	\$2.11				
		Lane Crawford	\$2.12				
		Mackintosh	\$2.13				
		Nanyang Tobacco	\$2.14				
		Rincors	\$2.15				
		Watsons	\$2.16				
		Wm. Powells	\$2.17				
		M. Greybouds	\$2.18				
		S. G. Enterprises	\$2.19				
		Ch. G. 4% 1935 G. Bda.	\$2.20				
		H.K. Gov. 4% Loans	\$2.21				
		Do. 3%	\$2.22				
		Wulke Harper	\$2.23				
		H.K. Wing On	\$2.24				
		S'hai Do.	\$2.25				
		Vibro Piling	\$2.26				

THE LAWS OF CONTRACT
BRIDGE REDUCEDSuccess For "Convention"
Advocates

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, March 18. It is inevitable that there will be differences of opinion about the new Contract Bridge Laws published today; but there can, I think, be none about the excellence of their drafting and the success of their simplification, writes a correspondent.

The measure of simplification attained may be judged from the fact that the 65 old Laws have been reduced to 38. In short, the bad drafting, the verbosity, and the obscurity of the old Laws have been corrected. Contract Bridge, now has a Code presented in a manner worthy of a game, which claims to be one of the most intellectual of modern pastimes.

The Laws have been rearranged into five "Periods," beginning with "Preliminaries to the Rubber," and ending with "Scoring." The "Proprieties" are now grouped into their appropriate "periods."

CARD-SHOWING BIDS

But the simplification goes further than words and arrangement. The penalties for infringements of the Laws contain a less bewildering choice of alternatives. In consequence, they will be easier to remember, and their enforcement will occasion less discussion at the table.

In the controversy about card-showing bids the "conventionalists" have won. The new Laws says definitely that no bid may be penalised on the ground that it "discloses a card" to the bidder's partner.

What the Laws have to say about conventions is given among the "Proprieties" as follows:

"It is improper to use in calling a convention the significance of which has not been announced. The term 'convention' covers a call designed to convey an arbitrary or artificial meaning or used by a player with the assurance that his partner will not accept it in its natural sense."

"It is necessary that a 'convention' so used should be fully understood by the other side, and players using 'convention' calls should be ready to reply fully to a proper inquiry by an opponent as to their meaning or use. Should it be necessary to make such an inquiry during the auction, the partner of the player who has made the 'convention' call should reply."

"The committee of any association, tournament or club, or groups of persons playing Contract Bridge, may prohibit 'convention' calling as above, or restrict the calling to such permissible 'conventions' as they may decide."

SCORING CHANGES

The alterations that will most affect play are, of course, the scoring changes. These are:

Grand Slam bonuses reduced to 1,000 points, non-vulnerable, and to 1,500 points, vulnerable. Vulnerable undertricks when not doubled to be penalised at 100 points a trick;

Doubled non-vulnerable undertricks to carry penalties of 100 points for the first undertrick and 200 points for each subsequent undertrick, while the penalties for doubled vulnerable undertricks to be 200 for the first undertrick and 300 for each subsequent undertrick;

At No-Trumps the first odd trick to score 40 points and each subsequent odd trick 30 points.

BONUSES AND PENALTIES

In reducing the Grand Slam bonuses back to their pre-1932 level the makers of the Laws have yielded to an overwhelming force of popular opinion.

That, however, does not alter the fact that the larger bonuses were mathematically balanced, and that the present bonuses are not. Still, if the majority of players wish to play with reduced bonuses—and they do—it was not for the Portland Club and the Whist Club to try to dictate in so democratic a game as Bridge.

The virtual abolition of the principle of graduation in penalties for undertricks is something novel. Here judgment must be suspended. It may be useful, however, to display the contrast between the old and the new penalties. The following table shows the undertrick penalties, undoubled, vulnerable:

Undertricks	New	Old
1	100	100
2	200	250
3	300	450
4	400	700
5 & c.	500	1,000

Here are the doubled penalties, vulnerable and non-vulnerable:

Under-Non-vulnerable	Vulnerable	Old
1	100	200
2	300	500
3	500	800
4	700	1,100
5	900	1,400
6	1,100	1,700
7	1,300	2,000
8	1,500	2,300
9	1,700	2,600
10	1,900	2,900

It will be observed that the penalties remain practically unchanged for the first two tricks, but that after that the reductions are considerable.

"NO-TRUMPS" ANOMALIES

The change in the No-Trumps scoring meets the difficulty that under the old laws the winning of three separate contracts of One No-Trumps did not yield game. But the scoring still remains woefully illogical.

If I win a contract of Two No-Trumps I score 70 points, and one in a minor suit will not give me game next time; but that is just what it will do if I win two separate contracts of One No-Trumps, for then I shall have scored 80.

Then the winning of a contract of One No-Trumps means that Two in a major suit will yield game, while under the old scoring it required Three in a major suit. This change may well have a considerable effect on the tactics of bidding.

The laws themselves include several other important alterations.

If a player looks at any of his cards while they are being dealt to him a new deal is compulsory. This is one of the few "new deal" penalties left; for the most part they have been abolished.

THE INSUFFICIENT BID

The penalty for an insufficient bid was a one-round pass by the partner after the bid had been made good. Now the penalty is a one-round pass if the bid is made good in the same denomination; but if it is made good in any other denomination the partner is debarrd from any further participation in the bidding.

The new law about a bid out of turn is:

"A call made out of rotation is cancelled, the auction reverts to the player whose turn it was to call, and, if it was—

(a) a pass made before the first bid: the offender must pass when next it is his turn to call;

(b) another call: the offender's partner must pass whenever it is his turn to call.

The penalty for a lead out of turn by a defender is also considerably simplified. The law now reads:

"The declarer may either treat the card led out of turn as a penalty card; or may require the lead of a specified suit from the other defender if he won the previous trick, otherwise from the defender who next wins a trick."

The expression "penalty card" is a new term used in the Laws for what has hitherto been called an "exposed card."

DUMMY'S NEW PRIVILEGE

Under the old laws a declarer had a choice of four alternative penalties if one of the defenders played to a trick before his turn. These four are reduced to one.

The declarer may call on the offender's partner to play his highest or lowest card in the suit led, and, should he be unable to follow suit, to play from a specified suit.

Dummy figures in the new Laws as "declarer's partner." His rights are laid down as follows. He may: (a) reply to a player's proper question;

(b) when requested, discuss questions of fact or law;

(c) question the declarer regarding his possible revoke;

(d) draw attention to a defender's irregularity and ask the declarer whether he knows his rights.

Dummy has these rights only, and he forfeits them if he intentionally looks at the face of a card held by his opponents or his partner.

The right to draw attention to an opponent's irregularity, such as

ARMY BOXING

Huxham Wins 7th Title

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, March 18. There was a welcome improvement in several of the classes in the finals of the Army and Territorial Army Championships, which were decided at the Albert Hall, London, last night. The standard last year was very moderate, but there were signs in some of the bouts last night that boxing in the Army is very much improved.

The first sign was forthcoming in the officers' finals—Lt. H. C. D. Huxham, the welter-weight champion, boxed with some skill to beat Lt. W. P. Sweetman, and set up a record. He has now won an Army title seven times.

Later there was a really fine fight for the heavy-weight title, in which the holder, Lt. G. R. S. Drought, was nearly knocked out and was eventually beaten on points by 2nd Lt. A. G. Powell, who had previously held the title.

Powell boxed better than he did in 1933 and hit very hard. He put his man down twice in the last round. Drought lacked nothing as regards courage, however, and was aggressive to the last punch.

BAILEY LOSES TITLE

Outstanding among the finals of the Other Ranks was the defeat of Bdr. Bailey, the featherweight champion, by Private March, of the 1st Bantam, K.O.V.L. March boxed right foot foremost. He looked younger and considerably lighter, and his style compelled him to take a great deal of punishment. He was splendidly fit, however, and his grand enthusiasm and willingness to make a fight of it kept the crowd in a continual roar of applause.

It was quite the best fight of the evening, and the judges must have had some difficulty in selecting the winner. Young March, however, should go a long way, even though he has adopted the "right foot" stance. After all, Freddie Miller has won, and holds the world's featherweight title with the same stance.

REST OF THE TOURNAMENT

As is usual, the Territorials' boxing was patchy. Some of it was little better than the novice rating. But Private T. Worton, the flyweight holder, was the best boxer of the tournament. He is a man of considerable experience, but his contest last night with Sapper Athersych was rendered difficult because Worton had to enter the ring with three stitches in a wound near the left eye, which was cut during a preliminary fight.

Athersych was stubborn and plucky, just the type to bring out the best of Worton. He was knocked down twice in the third round from very hard punches, but stayed the full distance.

This bout was fought at uncommon speed; yet it was not so exciting as the next Territorial fight, between Gunner Garrett and Private Ramsey in the bantam-weight class.

The two were like a pair of Kid Berge, and the fight was one lusty slog from start to finish. Garrett was in slightly better condition and won on points only because he was able to last out the gruelling pace slightly better than his opponent.

THE BOAT RACE

London, April 5

A commentary on the Oxford and Cambridge boat race will be broadcast by the British Broadcasting Corporation to-day at 2.30 p.m.

Recording will be broadcast at 6.30 and 11.15 p.m. and to-morrow at 8.15 a.m. and 12.30 p.m.—British Wireless.

LOOKING AT QUITTED TRICKS

A penalty card must be played at the first opportunity. The declarer has no option to call it or not to call it.

There is a penalty of 50 points of looking at a quitted trick.

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SATURDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Market continued steady during the morning session a small improvement in Star Ferries, Electric was noticeable and apart from a small sale no shares were on offer.

Banks changed hands at \$1275 and H. K. Fires wanted at \$215.

Buyers

Hongkong Banks, \$1285.
Union Insurance, \$415.
Gold Rivers, 10 cts.
Wharves (Rights), \$11.
Hotels, \$180.
Hongkong Lands, \$42.
Star Ferries, \$89.
China Lights, \$9.70.
Electric, \$85.
Telephones (old), \$23.
Telephones (new), \$10.10.
Dairy Farms, \$19.
Watsons, \$4.
Govt. 4% Loan, 84% Prem.
Govt. 3% Loan, 2% Prem.

Sellers

Underwriters, \$14.
Docks, \$94.
New Engineering, \$45.
Sandakan Lights, \$8.
Cement (Converted), \$64.
Wallace Harpers, \$7.
Hongkong Trams, \$164/164.
Star Ferries, \$89.
Telephones (old), \$23.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

The price for Ready Silver was unchanged on Saturday but the Forward rate rose 1/16, the quotations being 23 5/16 for Ready and 28 7/16 for Forward. India sold. Speculators bought. China operated both ways. The tone was steady. In America the rate was higher at 62 for Spot.

The New York/London cross-rate opened at 4.84 and closed at 4.84.

Market. Steady but dull.

Sterling

A small business was done at 2/0 5/16 for May, delivery. The market closed with sellers at 2/0 4/16 for April and 2/0 5/16 for May/June, buyers at 2/0 5/16 for near and 2/0 3/8 for May/June.

U. S. Dollars

Business was reported early in the morning at 48 15/16 for May delivery. Later 48 15/16 was arranged for second half of April and 49 for May. The market closed with probable sellers at 48 15/16 for near and May, buyers at 49 for April and 49 1/16 for May.

Shanghai Dollars.

Were quoted at 129 1/2 for near delivery.

Shanghai Market.

Steady but quiet. Sellers were indicated at 1/8 11/16 for near and 1/8 9/16 for May. U.S. Dollars, early advices indicated sellers at 37 11/16 for near and 37 1/16 for May. Subsequently the market receded to 37 9/16 for near and 37 1/16 for May. Towards the close 37 1/2 was on offer for near and 37 7/16 for May. Steady but quiet.

THE RUBBER MARKET

Singapore Prices

BENJAMIN AND POTTS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore on Saturday for raw rubber:

Spot	18 1/2 cts. off 1 ct.
May/June	18 1/2 cts. off 1 ct.
July/Sept.	19 1/2 cts. off 1 ct.
Oct./Dec.	20 1/2 cts. off 1 ct.
Market	Quiet.

H. B. JOSEPH & CO.

Messrs. H. B. Joseph and Co., received the following Straits currency quotations from Singapore for Raw Rubber.

Spot	18 down 1
July/Sept.	18 1/2 down 1
Oct./Dec.	20 1/2 down 1
Market	Uncertain.
Selling price	1/8 cent higher on

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

On	Sterling Parity	Apr. 4	Apr. 6
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.20 1/2	7.22
Athens	375 Drachmas		512 S.
Belgrade	376.316 Dinars	212	
Berlin	30.43 Marks	12.03	12.00
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	28 35/64	28 17/32
Brussels	36 Belas	48 1/2	
Bucharest	318.888 Lei		
Buenos Aires	47.38d. per Peso	14.96	15.02
Copenhagen	18.150 Kroner		
Geneva	85.92 Francs		
Helsingfors	183.52 Marks		
Hongkong	110 Escudos		
Lisbon	20.250 Escudos	35 13/32	35 17/32
Madrid	97.46 Lira	58 1/2	58 5/16
Milan	50.88d. per Lira	4.85	4.86
Montevideo	4.867 Dollars	4.84	4.84 1/2
New York	4.867 Dollars	40 1/2 S.O.	40 1/2 S.
Oalo	18.150 Kroner	73 19/64	73 37/64
Paris	194.21 Francs	115 1/2	115 1/2
Prague	184.25 Kroner		
Rio de Janeiro	20.88d. per Gold Milreis	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Shanghai	18.150 Kroner		
Stockholm	34.56 Schillings	28 5/16	28 7/16
Vienna	24.56d. per Yen	28 1/2	28 1/2
Yokohama	24.56d. per Yen	34 1/2 100	
Silver (spot)			
Silver (forward)			
War Loan			

Closing Quotations

On	On
LONDON:-	NEW YORK:-
Telegraphic Transfer.....	Bank Bills, on demand 48 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand 48 1/2	Credits, 60 days' sight 49 1/2
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight 49 1/2	ON BATAVIA:-
Credits, 4 months' sight 49 1/2	On demand 72 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:-	ON PARIS:-
On demand 12 1/2	Bank Bills, on demand 73 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:-	Credits, 4 months' sight 76 1/2
On demand 17 1/2	ON SAIGON:-
ON JAPAN:-	On demand 73 1/2
On demand 17 1/2	ON MANILA:-
ON INDIA:-	On demand 97
Telegraphic Transfer.....	ON BANGKOK:-
Bank, on demand 12 1/2	On demand 92 1/2
	SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying Rate
	28 1/2
	BAS SILVER, per oz. 28 5/16

THE SHARE MARKET

Harriman's Weekly Review

Messrs. G. A. Harriman's Weekly share report and market review issued at noon on Saturday states:

Although the market during the past week was not a very active one a better feeling prevailed at the beginning of the week due to the adoption of a new rule by both Exchanges requiring the numbering of shares on forward contracts and most stocks showed a fairly substantial appreciation with more buyers in evidence. Investment issues were generally better and met with a good demand. A fairly large business was done in Hongkong Trams at \$42 1/2, Hongkong Electric at \$84/65, and Telephones (old) at \$23/23 1/2. Dairy Farms were enquired for at \$19 and Wharves (cum rights) at \$91. Star Ferries, however, were dormant at quotations. Minor issues were much steadier with Lights improving to \$9.80 at one time, and Hotels to \$4.90. Watsons rose sharply to a buying rate of \$4 at the close. Providents (old) held enquiries at \$1. Cements after having been neglected for a considerable time had buyers at \$1.35 after sales at \$1.40. Sterling stocks showed practically no change with Hongkong Banks done at \$127 1/2 and Unions at \$420. The tone of the market at the close is very quiet and apart from the slight increase in the volume of "cash" business appears to be more or less marking time.

Business during the week has been done at the following prices:-
H. K. Banks, \$1270/1285.-
H. K. Fires, \$210/215.-
Union Insurance, \$420.-
Douglases, \$39.-
Wharves (Ex Rights), \$90 1/2.
Wharves (rights), \$11.-
Providents (old), \$1.-
Raubs, \$5.15.
Hotels, \$4.90.
H. K. Lands, \$42 1/2/42 1/2.
Humphreys, \$9 1/2.
H. K. Trams, \$161/16.50.
Star Ferries, \$89.-
Lights, \$9.80/9.85.
H. K. Electric, \$84 1/2/85.
Telephones (old), \$23 1/2/23 1/2.
Dairy Farms, \$19.-
H. K. Docks, \$7.60.
Watsons, \$3.60.
Antanols, \$2 cts./83 cts.
Gold Rivers, 12 cts.
Two Cottons, \$47.90 (x.d.).

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

... to be made or less marking time.

Business during the week has been done at the Following prices.—

H. K. Banks, \$1270/1235.—	
H. K. Fires, \$210/215.—	
Union Insurances, \$420.—	

Reichsmark quotations with guarantee):—

New York	40.31
Paris	611.75
Amsterdam	60.04
Paris Sterling	73.50
Dollar	15.18675

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Frankfurt, Apr. 6.
A 7 per cent. dividend for 1934 was declared on Saturday by the I. G. Farbenindustrie, popularly known as the German Dye Trust. The dividend in 1933 was also 7 per cent. It was also decided that at the next meeting of the Board of Directors, Professor Carl Bosch, winner of the Nobel Prize and who won world fame as the joint inventor with Professor Haber of Haber's Bosch of the process of ammonia synthesis for atmospheric nitrogen fixation, should be elected to a seat on the board rendered vacant by the recent death of Professor Carl Duisberg. Transocean Kuo Min.

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Pres. Hoover... May 18, Noon	Pres. Grant... May 25, 1 a.m.
Pres. Taft... June 4, M'night	Pres. Jefferson... June 7, M'night

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Pres. Adams... Apr. 13, 8 a.m.	Pres. Coolidge... Apr. 11, 9 p.m.
Pres. Harrison... Apr. 27, 8 a.m.	Pres. Adams... Apr. 13, 8 a.m.
Pres. Hayes... May 11, 8 a.m.	Pres. Jackson... Apr. 27, 1 a.m.
Pres. Johnson... May 25, 8 a.m.	Pres. Harrison... Apr. 27, 8 a.m.
Pres. Monroe... June 8, 8 a.m.	Pres. Cleveland... Apr. 30, 6 p.m.

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R. ORL, Agent.
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SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUIYANG"	On 17th Apr. Noon
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"YUNNAN"	On 17th Apr. Noon
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SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"KWANGTUNG"	On 19th Apr. 3 p.m.
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NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

Amoy.

Anhui, B. & S., April 8.	Haiyang, Douglas, April 9.
Taiwan, B. & S., April 10.	Haining, Douglas, April 12.
Yochow, B. & S., April 12.	Tjikembang, J.C.J. Line, April 14.
Haining, Douglas, April 16.	Taiyuan, B. & S., April 17.
Kutsang, Jardine's, April 17.	Tjikadok, J.C.J. Line, April 17.

Chefoo.

Hunan, B. & S., April 9.	Hopang, Jardine's, April 14.
Yunnan, B. & S., April 17.	

Daluy.

Liangchow, B. & S., April 8.	City of Bagdad, Bank Line, April 9.
Eumauas, B. & S., April 10.	Trier, Melchers, April 12.
Tjikembang, J.C.J. Line, April 14.	Giangary, Jardine's, April 15.
Taiwan, B. & S., April 16.	Trava, Melchers, April 18.
Hakodate Maru, N.Y.K., April 20.	Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., April 22.
Ramess, Jobson's, April 27.	Antenor, B. & S., April 28.
Glennard, Jardine's, April 29.	

Fochow.

Haiyang, Douglas, April 9.	Hunan, B. & S., April 9.
Hupoh, B. & S., April 9.	Haining, Douglas, April 12.
Hopang, Jardine's, April 14.	Haining, Douglas, April 16.
Yunnan, B. & S., April 17.	

JAPAN (Direct).

Jaypore, P. & O., April 9.	Kutsang, Jardine's, April 17.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., April 19.	Tantalus, B. & S., April 20.

Newchwang.

Liangchow, B. & S., April 8.	
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Shanghai and Japan.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., April 8.	Kongo Maru, N.Y.K., April 9.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, April 9.	Sumatra, Lloyd Triestino, April 9.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.	Trier, Melchers, April 12.
General Lee, States, April 13.	Kutsang, Jardine's, April 13.
Mammon, B. & S., April 13.	Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, April 13.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, April 13.	Duisburg, Jobson's, April 15.
Hordern, P. & O., April 17.	Taiyuan Maru, N.Y.K., April 17.
Dardanus, B. & S., April 18.	Nalders, P. & O., April 18.
Takada, B.E. (Apost), April 18.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, April 18.
Trava, Melchers, April 18.	Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., April 19.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., April 19.	Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 20.
Porthos, Messageries, April 21.	Mammon, B. & S., April 23.
Nanking, Gilman's, April 23.	Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, April 27.	Ramess, Jobson's, April 27.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., April 27.	Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 3.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.

Liangchow, B. & S., April 8.	Rumauas, B. & S., April 9.
Hupoh, B. & S., April 9.	Norviken, Jardine's, April 10.
Sinkin, B. & S., April 10.	Taiwan, B. & S., April 10.
Daikien, Jardine's, April 12.	Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Yochow, B. & S., April 12.	Mammon, B. & S., April 13.
Foonhing, Jardine's, April 14.	Sunning, B. & S., April 14.
Giangary, Jardine's, April 15.	Suiyang, B. & S., April 17.
Taiyuan, B. & S., April 17.	Taiyuan Maru, N.Y.K., April 17.
Adriatus, B. & S., April 18.	Dardanus, B. & S., April 18.
Kingman, B. & S., April 19.	Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., April 27.
Antenor, B. & S., April 28.	Glennard, Jardine's, April 29.

Swatow.

Anhui, B. & S., April 8.	Haiyang, Douglas, April 9.
Hunan, B. & S., April 9.	Norviken, Jardine's, April 10.
Seistan, Douglas, April 10.	Sinkin, B. & S., April 10.
Daikien, Jardine's, April 12.	Haining, Douglas, April 12.
Yochow, B. & S., April 12.	Foonhing, Jardine's, April 14.
Hermod, Thoresen's, April 14.	Hopang, Jardine's, April 14.
Kiangsu, B. & S., April 14.	Haining, Douglas, April 16.
Suiyang, B. & S., April 17.	Yunnan, B. & S., April 17.
Kingman, B. & S., April 19.	Holies, Thoresen's, April 21.
Hiran, Thoresen's, April 28.	

Taku Bar.

Trier, Melchers, April 12.	Dardanus, B. & S., April 18.
Trava, Melchers, April 18.	Ramess, Jobson's, April 27.
Antenor, B. & S., April 28.	

Tientsin.

Hunan, B. & S., April 9.	Hopang, Jardine's, April 14.
Yunnan, B. & S., April 17.	

Tientsin.

Norviken, Jardine's, April 10.	Sinkin, B. & S., April 10.
Daikien, Jardine's, April 12.	Trier, Melchers, April 12.
Foonhing, Jardine's, April 14.	Sunning, B. & S., April 14.
Suiyang, B. & S., April 17.	Taiyuan Maru, N.Y.K., April 17.
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EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Bahia.

Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, April 9.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, April 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 20.	Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.

Baltimore.

Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.	
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Boston and New York.

Kongo Maru, N.Y.K., April 9.	Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, April 9.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, April 18.	Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 20.
Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.	

Cebu.

Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, April 9.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, April 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 20.	Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.

Honolulu.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., April 8.	Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., April 17.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., April 19.	Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 20.

Los Angeles.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., April 8.	Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, April 9.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., April 17.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, April 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 20.	Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.

Mexico.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., April 8.	
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Panama.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., April 8.	Kongo Maru, N.Y.K., April 9.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, April 9.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, April 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 20.	Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.

Philadelphia.

Nora Maersk, Jobson's, April 27.	
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Portland and Puget Sound.

General Lee, States, April 13.	Pleasantville, Bank Line, April 25.
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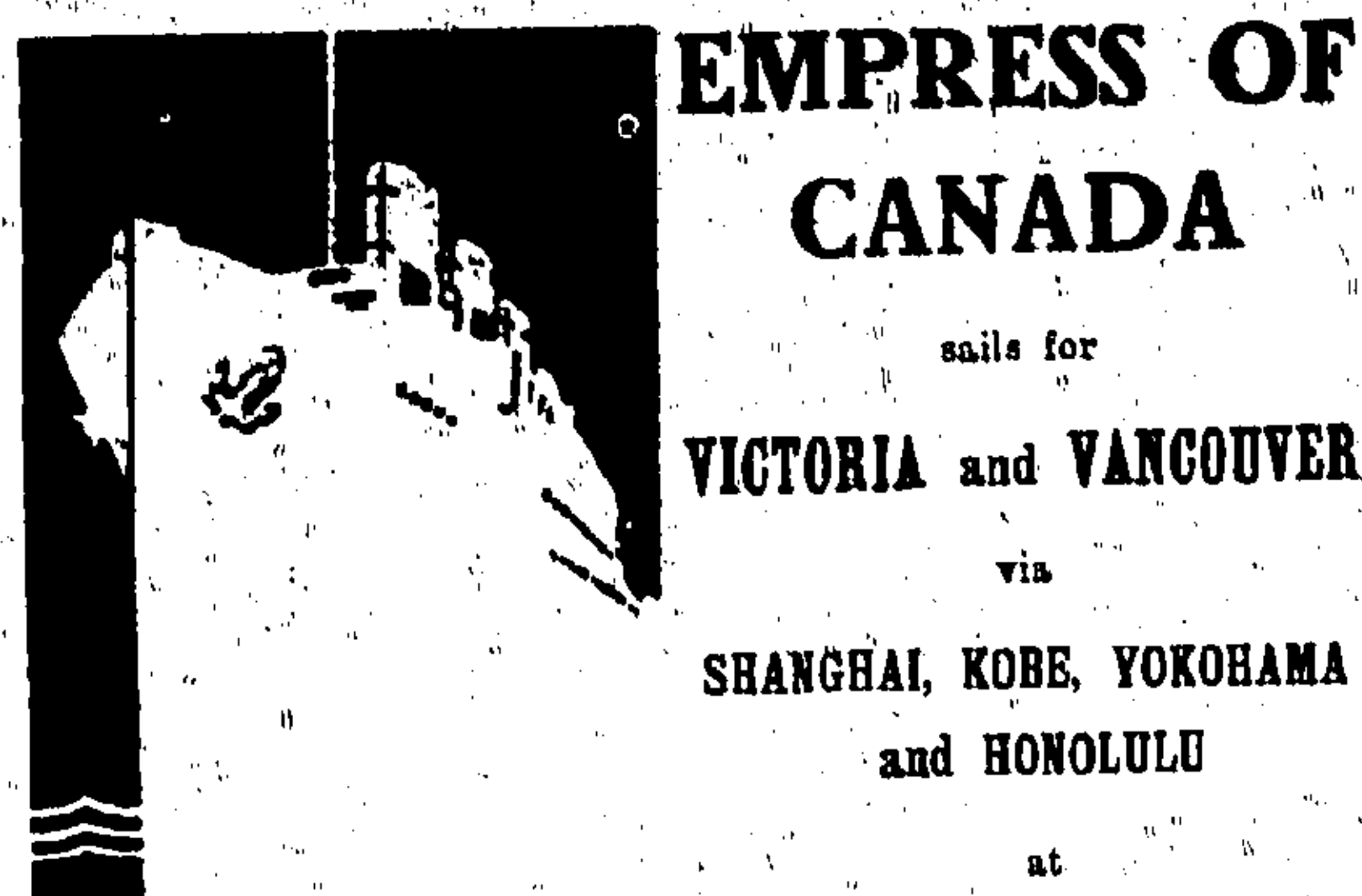
San Francisco.

Kongo Maru, N.Y.K., April 9.	Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, April 9.
General Lee, States, April 13.	Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., April 17.
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Seattle.

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Cheong Chee, B. & S., April 16.



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Emp. of Russia	May 3	May 5	May 7	May 9	May 11	May 13	May 15	May 20
Emp. of Japan	May 17	May 19	May 21	May 23	May 25	May 27	May 29	May 31
Emp. of Asia	May 31	June 2	June 4	June 6	June 8	June 10	June 12	June 14
Emp. of Canada	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 22	June 24	June 26	June 28
Emp. of Russia	June 28	June 30	July 2	July 4	July 6	July 8	July 10	July 12
Emp. of Japan	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 20	July 22	July 24	July 26

TO MANILA
EMPRESS OF CANADA ... April 12th.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA ... April 25th.

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HEIAN MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 29th April
HIKAWA MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 30th May

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM
KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 13th Apr.
KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 27th Apr.
YASUKUNI MARU ... Friday, 10th May

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.
KAMO MARU ... Saturday, 27th April
KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 23rd May

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.
TANGO MARU ... Thursday, 11th Apr.
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HEIYO MARU ... Monday, 8th April

NEW YORK via Panama.
KONGO MARU ... Tuesday, 9th Apr.
NABUTO MARU ... Thursday, 9th May

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.
Genoa and Valencia.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.
BENGAL MARU ... Monday, 15th Apr.
TOTTORI MARU ... Monday, 29th Apr.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.
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POMTHOS ... 21st April	ANDRE LERON ... 9th Apr.
CHERONORAU ... 4th May	FELIX ROUSSEL ... 23rd Apr.
WARAGHAN ... 18th May	PORTOS ... 7th May
ATHOS II ... 1st June	CHERONORAU ... 31st May
ARABIS ... 14th June	D'ARAGHAN ... 4th June
	ATHOS II ... 18th June

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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

WEEK-END CARGO RETURNS

During the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday a total of 22 ships brought 11,973 tons of cargo to the Colony and carried 22,065 tons for through ports. These ships brought 797 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 14 ships left the Colony.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES
Kowloon—Kum Sang, Toba Maru and Helyo Maru.
Holt's—Eumaeus and City of Baghdad.
Jardine Matheson's—Norviken, Osaka, Shosen Kalsha—Canton Maru.
Douglas Lapraik—Hal Ching.
Chiu On—Hydrangia.

DOCKS
Kowloon—Bellas.
Talkoo—H.M.S. Otus, King Lee, Liangchow, Daviken, Nanning and Chung King.

BUOYS
No. A1—Tjilondari.
No. A2—Kongo Maru.
No. A3—Konsan Maru.
No. A4—Preussen.
No. A5—Hague Maru.
No. A7—Jeypore.
No. A8—Barrgrove.
No. A15—Brisbane Maru.
No. B1—Hunan.
No. B2—Kwai Sang.
No. B3—Shantung.
No. B4—G. G. Paul Doumer.
No. B5—Ardent.
No. B6—Kalgan.
No. B10—Proteus.
No. B11—Tsang Woo.
No. B14—Anhui.
No. B15—Sinkiang.
No. B18—Tinhong.
No. B20—Tsinan.
No. B24—Toa Maru.
No. C1—Pronto.
No. C2—Yu Sang.
No. C5—Dar Pohoza.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The list of ships expected to be in wireless communication by the Government Radio Office with Hong Kong yesterday:-

Nollington Court, Yu Sang, Kum Sang, Erica Moller, Hoelsan Maru, Tung Cheng, Bostis, Hal Chen, G. G. Paul Doumer, General Lee, Toba Maru, Cheng King, Shimo Maru, Nancy Moller, Hydrangia, Kongo Maru, President Jefferson, Sheng Lee, Conte Verde.

CLEARANCES

7TH APRIL
Sinkiang, for Canton
Kamona, for Pratas Island
Kwai Sang, for Swatow
Shantung, for Swatow
Seistan, for Swatow
Norviken, for Canton
Kronviken, for Holhow
Kalgan, for Swatow
Canton Maru, for Swatow
Borneo Maru, for Dairen
Hal Hing, for Swatow

6TH APRIL
Cathay, for Singapore
General Lee, for Manila
Tokushima Maru, for Singapore
Felix Roussel, for Shanghai
Kwangtung, for Shanghai
Hulchow, for Swatow
President Jefferson, for Manila
Hal Li, for Swatow
Hunan, for Canton
Yoseric, for Pekalongan
Tin Seng, for K. C. Wan
Solva, for Balikpapan

ARRIVALS

7TH APRIL

Tjilondari, Dutch steamer, 3,019 tons, Captain Burger, from Shanghai via Amoy, buoy No. A1—J. C. J. Line.

Tsang Woo, Chinese steamer, 1,049 tons, Captain Einarson, from Saigon, buoy No. B11—Hing Lee.

Eumaeus, British steamer, 4,711 tons, Captain R. Lloyd, from Singapore, Holt's Wharf—B. & S.

Norviken, Norwegian steamer, 1,779 tons, Captain G. Svane, from Swatow, West Point Wharf—J. M. & Co.

Hal Hing, Norwegian steamer, 1,445 tons, Captain A. Johansen, from Holhow, buoy No. C3—Thoresen & Co.

Hal Yang, British steamer, 1,397 tons, Captain W. G. Erwin, from Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co.

Borneo Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,282 tons, Captain H. Egusa, from Singapore, buoy No. A3—O. S. K.

6TH APRIL

Dar Pomorna, Polish steamer, 526 tons, Captain K. Maciejewicz, from Gaynia via Shanghai, buoy No. C5—Master.

Yu Sang, British steamer, 1,122 tons, Captain A. B. Osmond, from Saigon, buoy No. C2—J. M. & Co.

Ardent, Norwegian steamer, 1,101 tons, Captain A. Hytten, from Bangkok, buoy No. B5—Thoresen & Co.

Toba Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,283 tons, Captain R. Agawa, from Sakito, Kowloon Wharf—N. Y. K.

City of Baghdad, British steamer, 4,713 tons, Captain W. Ewing, from Manila, Holt's Wharf—Bank Line.

General Lee, American steamer, 2,732 tons, Captain A. Hausen, from Portland via Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf—States and Company.

Helyo Maru, Japanese steamer, 5,871 tons, Captain T. Fujita, from Kobe via Moji, Kowloon Wharf—N. Y. K.

Pres. Jefferson, American steamer, 8,443 tons, Captain A. O. Lustie, from Seattle via Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf—American Mail Line.

Hunan, British steamer, 1,621 tons, Captain J. Beck, from Tongku via Wai Hai Wei, buoy No. B1—B. & S.

Ming Shan, Chinese steamer, 1,170 tons, Captain Augusted, from Hongay, Kowloon Bay—Wallem & Co.

Tung Cheng, Chinese steamer, 1,219 tons, Capt. M. Plaskin, from Swatow, Yaumati—G. Grimble & Co.

Felix Roussel, French steamer, 9,188 tons, Captain E. Georges, from Marseilles via Saigon, Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co.

Kwai Sang, British steamer, 1,435 tons, Captain M. Costello, from Canton, buoy No. B2—J. M. & Co.

Hydrangia, British steamer, 561 tons, Captain P. W. Grierison, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf—Chiu On & Co.

Texaco XI, British steamer, 1,460 tons, Captain F. T. Fisher, from Foochow, Chun Wan—Texas & Co.

Hal Li, Chinese steamer, 2,118 tons, Captain S. P. Tang, from Canton, C. M. S. N. Wharf—C. M. S. N. & Co.

Shantung, British steamer, 1,583 tons, Captain R. Allinson, from Canton, buoy No. B3—B. & S.

VESSELS DUE

Adrasia, B. & S., April 17.
Alaska Maru, O.S.K., April 18.
Andre Leron, Messageries, April 9.
Antenor, B. & S., April 27.
Anima Maru, N.Y.K., April 28.
Behar, P. & O., April 12.
Bellerophon, B. & S., May 1.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., April 14.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, April 21.
Burdwan, P. & O., April 13.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., April 22.
Canada Maru, O.S.K., April 11.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., April 17.
Changto, B. & S., April 9.
City of Baghdad, H.L., April 9.
City of Birmingham, B.L., April 13.
City of Eastbourne, B.L., May 5.
Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, April 12.
Coralliers, Jebens, April 18.
Cortis, P. & O., April 19.
Dardanus, B. & S., April 17.
Deli Maru, O.S.K., April 13.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 24.
Duisburg, Jebens, April 15.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., April 12.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 10.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 24.
General Pershing, States, April 26.
Glengarry, Jardine's, April 24.
Glengarry, Douglas's, April 15.
Hal Hing, Thoresen's, April 13.
Haining, Douglas's, April 11.
Haiyang, Douglas's, April 12.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Havre Maru, O.S.K., April 10.
Hosen Maru, O.S.K., April 10.
Jeypore, P. & O., April 9.
Kama Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., April 19.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., April 19.
Kong Maru, N.Y.K., April 9.
Laganbank, Bank Line, April 19.
Main, Melchers, April 14.
Memnon, B. & S., April 12.
Mendous, B. & S., April 22.
Naldora, P. & O., April 17.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., April 20.
Nanking, Gilman's, April 26.
Neckar, Melchers, April 9.

SHIPPING MOVEMENT

The R.M.S. "Empress of Canada" arrived at Yokohama on Saturday and left the same evening. She is due at Hong Kong on Friday morning and leaves for Manila the same evening.

SHIPPING MOVEMENT

from Canton, buoy No. B3—B. & S.
G. G. Paul Doumer, French str., 734 tons, Captain P. Luitel, from Hongkong via P. C. Wan, buoy No. B4—M. M. & Co.

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Sinkiang, British steamer, 1,616 tons, Captain J. S. G. Brown, from Shanghai via Swatow, buoy No. B15—Butterfield and Swire.

Tsinan, British steamer, 2,100 tons, Captain S. M. Barling, from Shanghai via Amoy, buoy No. B20—Butterfield and Swire.

Brisbane Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,221 tons, Captain S. Shirai, from Amoy via Moji, buoy No. A15—O. S. K.

Tokushima Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,703 tons, Captain S. Otake, from Yokohama via Sakito, buoy No. A7—N. Y. K.

Kum Sang, British steamer, 1,341 tons, Captain W. Field-Hook, from Osaka, Kowloon Wharf—J. M. & Co.

5TH APRIL

Pronto, Norwegian steamer, 1,283 tons, Captain S. Larsen, from Bangkok via Holhow, buoy No. C1—K. Larsen & Co.

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"CORFU"	15,000	20th April	Marseilles and London
"SOUDAN"	7,000	27th April	Manila, Havre, L'don, H'g, S'ad, A'warp, & Hull
"RANCHI"	17,000	4th May	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"NALDERA"	16,000	15th May	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"BURDWAN"	6,000	25th May	Manila, Havre, L'don, H'g, S'ad, A'warp, & Hull
"BANPUTA"	17,000	1st June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	15th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"SOMALI"	7,000	22nd June	Manila, Havre, L'don, H'g, S'ad, A'warp, & Hull
"MANTUA"	11,000	29th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"CARTHAGE"	14,500	13th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"BANGALORE"	6,000	20th July	Bombay, Maru, L'don, Havre, H'g, S'ad, A'warp, & Hull
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"KARAI-I-HIND"	11,000	10th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"BHUTAN"	6,000	17th Aug.	Bombay, Maru, Havre, L'don, H'g, S'ad, A'warp, & Hull
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"NALDERA"	16,000	18th Apr.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BANPUTA"	17,000	2nd May	do.
"TILAWA"	10,000	2nd May	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"TANDA"	7,000	5th May	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"SOMALI"	7,000	14th May	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	15th May	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"SANTHIA"	8,000	18th May	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TALMA"	10,000	24th May	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"NANKIN"	7,000	30th May	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BANALORE"	6,000	6th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"CARTHAGE"	14,500	11th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"SIRDEHANA"	8,000	12th June	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	13th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TAKADA"	7,000	27th June	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"NELLORE"	7,000	4th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BHUTAN"	6,000	10th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"KARAI-I-HIND"	11,000	11th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama

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